THE WEATHER.

Fair in west, rain in east portions Tuesday, colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair and colder; brisk to high shifting winds on the coast.

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HAVANA AND KEY WEST DEVASTATED BY STORM

Key West Reported Mass of Wreckage and Damage of Two Millions—Five Persons Killed and 25 Injured in Havana—Martial Law Proclaimed and Government Requested to Send Troops For Patrol Duty

Key West, Fla., Oct. 11.—As a result of the hurricane which struck the Southern coast of Florida this morning, Key West tonight is a mass of wreckage and the damage to property is estimated at $2,000,000. Martial law was proclaimed by the mayor at 6 o'clock this evening and the Key West Guards are patrolling the city.

The United States government has been asked to dispatch troops here without delay to assist in patrolling the storm swept area.

Chaos reigns on every hand and few people remain in their homes, hundreds of which have either been totally wrecked or damaged. It is impossible at this hour to say whether there has been loss of life but it is feared that many lives have been claimed along the coast.

While the hurricane is the worst that Key West has ever experienced the local weather observer announced tonight that the indications are that the entire coast of Florida will suffer terribly tonight.

Of one hundred local vessels in the harbor this morning but five remain at anchor, the others having either gone to sea or been washed up on the beaches. The streets along the water front are a mass of wreckage.

Brick as well as frame buildings throughout the city suffered alike from the fury of the heavy wind and many miraculous escapes from death or serious injury have been reported.

Besides the several score of residences either totally wrecked or blown from their pillars, nine factories were partially destroyed including the Havana-American, Martinez, Nichols, Ruy Lopez, Manuel Lopez, Fleitas Torris, Cortez and Wolf Cigar Manufactories No. 1 and No. 3. Engine houses of the city fire department were destroyed, the firemen narrowly escaping. Several of the horses were killed. The top of the first National bank was blown off, the postoffice damaged and two running gears of the government coaling station were wrecked.

Every telephone and electric light pole on Duval street, the principal thoroughfare of the city, were blown down.

It is known that many have received more or less serious injury and reports are current that several lives have been lost, but these have not been verified.

The storm reached its height at 1 o'clock this afternoon when the wind reached an estimated velocity of 100 miles an hour. There was a hard, steady blow from 8 A. M. to 3 P. M., when the wind began to die down and by 4 o'clock the center of the hurricane had passed this point.

As soon as the wind had subsided plundering began. The city police force was unable to cope with the situation and the mayor decided to take stringent measures to suppress the looting, his proclamation of martial law resulting. Almost every nationality is represented among the city's population of more than 20,000 about one-half of whom are employed in the cigar manufactories, sponge fisheries and salvage companies.

Havana Hit Heavily.

Havana, Oct. 11.—The most serious cyclone since the big blow of October 17th 1906 struck Cuba early this morning causing extensive devastation through the whole western portion of the island. In the city of Havana many minor buildings were blown down or unroofed, almost all the trees were uprooted and five persons were killed one by an electric wire and the others by falling buildings. About 25 persons were injured.

The greaetest damage done was in the harbor where 40 or 50 lighters, launches and small tugs were either sunk or blown ashore. At Casablanca great anxiety was felt throughout the day for the safety of the Ward Liner Morro Castle, from New York, and the Plant Line steamer Miami, from Key West. Both of these steamers arrived safely at 5:30 this afternoon having kept off shore for hours awaiting an abatement of the storm. The total damage in Havana and vicinity is estimated at $1,000,000. The greatest individual loss has been caused by the destruction of half the coal elevator conveyors of the Havana Coal Company at Casablanca, estimated at $200,000. It will be possible to raise the greater number of the wrecked lighters and other craft.

Communication with the interior of the island has been interrupted except with parts of Havana and Pinar del Rio provinces in which the orange and other fruit crops suffered severely. The tobacco crop has not been seriously affected beyond the washing out of the seed beds which at this season of the year are capable of renewal.

Following the heavy rains of the past few days a gale began at 2 o'clock this morning which rapidly increased in intensity and reached 120 miles an hour. The gale came from the south, southwest and the vortex of the cyclone was a short distaonce west of Havana. The storm continued with unabated fury until 8 o'clock. The wind subsided tonight and the indications are for clearing weather.

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Reports From Miami.

Miami, Fla., Oct. 11.—At 6 P. M. the storm is growing more furious here and the wind is driving from the south at a great rate. The sky is overcast with a sulphurous yellow; houses are being unroofed and limbs blown from trees. The fury of the storm is on. All efforts of the officials of the Florida East Coast railroad here to get into communication with the men at work on the road's extension on the Keys off the extreme southern peninsula have been in vain. Between 2,500 and 3,000 workmen are employed on the construction work on the lower keys, where there is slight opportunity for protection from the fury of the storm. Grave fears are entertained for the safety of these men, the apprehension being intensified by recollections of the hurricane of 1906, when 140 men lost their lives and incalculable damage to property was done in that section. It is said that the construction camps are better fortified now and it is known that the engineers on the work have been preparing for a big blow for a number of days past.

In spite of this, however, the exposed location of the railroad, which skirts the very brink of the ocean stretches of the massive concrete columns even being out of sight of land, lead to grave concern for the safety of the workmen.

TAFT IN LOS ANGELES

Spent Quiet Time at Home of Sister. Mexicans Arrested.

Los Angeles, Ca., Oct. 11.—President Taft arrived in the hospitable flower land of Southern California today and received an enthusiastic greeting. He visited first the deep water and inner harbors of San Pedro, below the city, and had a sail of an hour and a half inside the big government breakwater.

Returning to Los Angeles at 1 o'clock he was taken for an automobile ride of two hours through crowded streets.

The president passed in review of the school children and made an address to them in which he sought to inculcate a lesson on patriotism by catechising them as to the meaning of the flag and their idea of liberty which it represents. This evening Mr. Taft was the guest of honor at a banquet at the Shriner auditorium which, in point of numbers and in lavishness and decorating, proved one of distinctive features of his trip.

The President's trip to Los Angeles was arranged primarily that he might spend a day or two with his sister, Mrs. W. A. Edwards. Mr. Taft rested at his sister's home for a time during the late afternoon and spent the night there.

Tomorrow the President will be taken for an automobile ride to Pasadena and through the orange districts of Riverside. Late tomorrow night he will start for the east on the latter half of his long trip and both in point of time and of mileage, his journey will be half completed.

Much to the chagrin of the government engineer the President's launch when the inspection of the inner harbor work was being made, struck a mud bank in the completed section and stuck fast for a minute or two. In the interim Mr. Taft and others had to change their positions from the stern to the bow of the launch.

Six Mexicans, arrested in this city last night whose public utterances in denunciation of President Taft and Diaz were held by the authorities today and may be kept in custody until after Mr. Taft's visit to El Paso and Jarez, Mexico, next Sunday.

BARNS FIRED IN CHATHAM

Nine Tobacco Burned by Incendiary. Reward Offered For Capture.

Durham, N. C., Oct. 11.—The reported destruction of nine barns of tobacco in Chatham county, 12 miles from Durham, and the application of the torch to eight others nearby caused the Chatham Lumber Company, of this city, to offer a reward of $100 this afternoon.

The burning ocurred Friday night. The incendiary first touched off nine barns and then eight and threw the buckets and chains in the well to prevent salvage. The second fire went out. The incendiary then stole a horse of the man occupying the premises. He was tracked for 15 miles.

Many reports from adjoining counties indicate the burning of tobacco

DAY'S DOINGS AT RALEIGH

National Guard Officers to Oxford. Number of Charters Granted. Work on Church Resumed. Complication.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 11.—Adjutant General J. F. Armfield and staff officers of the National Guard have been invited by Former Adjutant General B. S. Royster, of Oxford, to be his guests October 30th when there is to be the unveiling of a Confederate monument to the Granville county Confederate dead. General Royster will give an elaborate reception in honor of the military officers that evening.

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HESTER'S COTTON REPORT

Amount of Staple Handled by American Manufacturers in September.

New Orleans, Oct. 11.—Secretary Hester has just issued a statement of weights of 1,034,680 bales of cotton handled at outports and across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers overland to American manufacturers outside of the cotton belt during the month of September showing an average per bale of 518.65 against 525.40 pounds for the same period last year. The detailed averages are: Texas ports 529.55 against 542.46 last year; Louisiana ports 505.86 against 521.73 last year; Alabama ports 509.06 against 531.56 last year; Georgia ports 517.60 against 516.15 last year; South Carolina ports 513 against 510.33 last year; Virginia ports 506 against 510 last year, Tennessee etc 511.02 against 530.37.

SOUTH CAROLINA SUPERVISORS.

Appointees of President Taft Receive Their Commissions.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The commissions of several additional supervisors of the next census have been signed by President Taft and forwarded by Director of the Census Durand, to the appointees. Among them are Livingston F. McClellan, Stone Mountain, for the fifth district, and Harry Burns, Macon, for the sixth district of Georgia; James L. Michie, Darlington, for the sixth district, and Ernest M. Dupre, Columbia, for the seventh district of South Carolina.

DRUGGISTS IN RICHMOND

National Convention Formally Opens With Large Attendance Today.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 11.—Delegates to the National Wholesale Druggists Association, which formally opens here tomorrow, continue to arrive by every train. Those already arrived were entertained today by being shown the points of interest in and

PIRATES WON FIERCE CONTEST

Defeated Tigers in a Close Game by Score of 8 to 6.

THIRD OF WORLD'S SERIES

Most Spectacular Game Ever in Championship Series Witnessed by a Record Detroit Crowd—Wagner Starred.

Detroit, Oct. 11.—Pittsburg defeated Detroit by the score of 8 to 6 here today in one of the most spectacular and fiercely contested games ever played in a world's championship series. This gives Pittsburg the margin of two games to one in the series and the National League champions are correspondingly jubilant.

Detroit, however, showed in the final innings of the battle that it is far from a hopelessly beaten team.

Weather conditions were frightful. Rain fell frequently during the nine innings, several times in hard showers of several minutes' duration. Clouds made the atmosphere so dark during the last two innings that it was hard for both players and spectators to follow the ball.

Despite the wretched weather the attendance of 18,277, broke all local records for the world's series.

Pittsburg jumped in the lead immediately this afternoon, by scoring five runs in the first inning. They batted Summers out of the box, aided by some poor fielding. Another run in the second inning gave Pittsburg a lead of 6 to 0 and the game then appeared to be safe for the visitors.

Detroit, however, came to the fore with one of the gamest rallies ever made and scored four runs in the seventh inning, batting Maddox hard and playing like fiends. With the score 6 to 4 Pittsburg connected with some of Works' curves in the ninth for two runs. With the score 8 to 4 against it the Detroit team even then did not realize it was beaten and smashed out two more runs in the last inning. Had Sam Crawford been able to hit up to his usual mark this afternoon there would have been a different story to tell.

Detroit outbatted Pittsburg by a margin of one hit, getting 12 to the winners' 11.

Summers started for the locals but was removed before the end of the first inning. Willett succeeded him and did well until he was taken out to allow McIntyre to bat for him in the seventh. McIntyre struck out. Works, who then went in was lucky in the eighth after Abstein had made a two-base hit with but one out. The next two were easy outs. In the ninth Pittsburg landed on him for three hits and that clinched the game for them.

Maddox was on the rubber for Pittsburg and was hit hard in the closing innings, although Detroit could do nothing with him in the early sessions. When the American Leaguers did start to hit him they landed hard and often, but Manager Clarke left Maddox in because of the lead his team had.

The mighty Hans Wagner was the star of the game, but he was forced to share some of the stellar honors with Owen Bush and Delhanty, of the locals. Wagner made four hits and stole four bases, authough Catcher Schmidt was not to blame for at least one of the thefts. Besides his hitting and base-running, Wagner played an admirable game in the field.

In the first inning Wagner beat out a hit to Bush, stole second and went to third on Schmidt's bad throw to

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OUTLINES.

A severe storm struck Havana, Cuba, and the lower coast of Florida yesterday causing loss of life in that city. Key West is a mass of wreckage and damage to property is estimated at $2,000,000——John Skelton Williams, who again becomes a director of the Seaboard Air Line, upon reorganization of the system, announced in Richmond yesterday that five small roads had been merged with the Seaboard, increasing the mileage to 3,000——Nine tobacco barns were burned in Chatham county, N. C., last Friday by an incendiary and a reward has been offered for his capture——Pittsburg won the third game of the world's championship series from Detroit yesterday by a score of 8 to 6, it was a fierce contest——An unknown schooner sank off the Carolina coast near Diamond Shoals lightship some time Saturday night. It is believed that the crew abandoned the ship.——Edward Davis, a negro convict, jumped from an express train at Tivoli, N. Y., yesterday when he was being brought to the North Carolina State prison.——New York markets: Money on call strong 4 1-2 to 5 per cent., ruling rate 4 3-4, closing bid 4 3-4, offered at 4 3-4. Flour in moderate demand with prices nominally higher. Wheat spot firm, No. 2 red 1.20 sales domestic elevator. No. 2 nominal f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot barely steady, No. 2, 69 domestic elevator. Oats spot steady, mixed 42 1-2 to 43.

WILLIAMS TALKS OF THE SEABOARD

Recent Absorptions Now Given System Mileage of 3,000

A REUNITING OF INTEREST

Reorganization in New York a Victory For No One—Great Factor in Upbuilding the South Promised.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 11.—John Skelton Williams was in his office here today having just returned from the meeting of the reorganization committee and the board of directors of the Seaboard Air Line system in New York.

Mr. Williams said that while it had not been heretofore announced publicly, it is a fact that the Atlanta & Birmingham Air Line Railway, operating 237 miles; the Florida West Shore Railway, operating 70 miles; the Plant City, Arcadia and Gulf Railway, operating 19 miles; the Catawba Valley Railway, operating 22 miles, and the Tallahassee & Southeastern Railroad, operating 39 miles, were merged with the Seaboard Air Line Railway as of September 29th and 30th, 1909.

This increases the operated mileage by nearly 400 miles so that the mileage operated or owned by the Seaboard Air Line from October 1, 1909, will be just 3,000 miles. These several subsidiary roads have been controlled heretofore, but has been operated separately. Their operations hereafter will be included in the operations of the Seaboard system proper.

No Williams Victory.

Following this statement Mr. Williams added: "I regret to see that some newspapers which did not entirely understand the situation, and some of my enthusiastic friends, are too much disposed to herald the recent action at New York in electing myself and some of my friends to the Seaboard directorate as a 'Williams' victory. This is the wrong view. The action is not a victory or a defeat for anybody and was not so intended. There has been no fight since the receivership. It was simply a case of those most heavily and directly interested in the Seaboard getting together to harmonize all interests and to insure peace and effective working."

Mr. Williams was asked about the presidency. He replied: "That is a matter which need not be discussed at present as it is expected that the whole subject of the management will be taken up in a harmonious and friendly spirit, after the ending of the receivership. I think there is not much doubt that whatever is done will be by general agreement and after full discussion consideration of what will be best for the system and for the county through which it operates—as you will observe, a territory constantly extending and widening. So far as I have had opportunity to observe and believe the directorate is now unanimous in the desire to make the Seaboard a great and valuable property and a vast factor in the building up of the South. That is the hope I have had from the outset and if these purposes are accomplished I shall be greatly gratified whatever my individual relations to the system."

FROM ROCKY MOUNT

Extraordinary Record of Cotton Salvage—Marriage in Wilson.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Oct. 11.—It will be gratifying news to many who learned of the destructive fire that visited the farm of Mr. Edwin Battle in Edgecombe county, on Friday afternoon, that the loss of $6,000 as first reported, has been reduced some little when on Saturday the debris was cleared away and it was found that 14 of the 40 bales of cotton stored in the burned building were intact and that they had gone through the burning of the building in which they were stored but had not been scorched themselves. The cotton stored around them had made it impossible to burn these 14 bales.

A marriage of interest to a number of friends in this city occurred at 7:20 o'clock this morning in Wilson when Miss Minnie Mayo, of that city, became the bride of Mr. Wallace Straysman, of Petersburg, Va., the marriage ceremony having been performed by Rev. Donnoway of the First Baptist church there. The happy couple passed through the city this morning enroute north for a several weeks bridal trip.

THE TIDEWATER TRUST CO.

Chartered Yesterday For General Real Estate Development Business.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 11.—The Tidewater Trust Company, of Wilmington, is chartered with $25,000 capital authorized and $7,500 subscribed by T. F. Bagley, T. E. Sprunt, S. P. McNair and Eustace Norfleet for general real estate development investment and trust business. Arthur Cobb, Esq., is

SUPREME COURT CONVENES

After Recess of Four Months—Question of Liability on Note Incurred by Speculation—Case Under Advisement.

Washington, Oct. 11.—After a recess of more than four months and with only Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Harlan, Brewer, White, Holmes, McKenna and Day present, the Supreme Court of the United States today began the regular term for the next twelve months. Justices Peckham and Moody were both absent on account of illness ,reducing the court to unusually small proportions Ordinarily the court devotes the first day of its sitting to a call of state upon the President, but the absence of that high official rendering this procedure impracticable, business was proceeded with as far as possible.

A large number of petitions for certiori, the purpose of which was to procure the review of the Supreme Court of cases decided adversely by the various United States Courts of Appeal, were presented.

One petition, that of Majors vs. Williamson, deals with the right to enforce the collection of a note given to pay a debt incurred in speculation. Williamson contracted a debt speculating in cotton through Majors in Memphis, Tenn., and in payment made a note which was secured by real estate located in Memphis. He afterwards refused to pay the note on the ground that it was given to pay a gambling debt, gambling being prohibited in Tennessee and Memphis. The United States Circuit Court for the district of Memphis gave judgment against Williamson but the Court of Appeals for the 5th district reversed that finding in accordance with Williamson's contentions. The court took all the applications under advisement.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Attorney A. H. Clift, of Tennessee ,today presents to the Supreme Court of the United States the last of a number of briefs bearing on the petitions of Joseph F. Ship and a number of other residents of Chattanooga, charged with complicity in lynching a negro, F. Johnson, after the Supreme court had taken cognizance of his case.

There were originally about 25 of the defendants but the number was gradually reduced until the last term of court, when seven or eight of them were pronounced guilty. These included Mr. Shipp, who was sheriff of the county, and his deputy, Jeremiah Gibson, who was the county jailor.

In his brief Mr. Clift charges that the court erred in many respects in reaching its conclusions and he especially asserts that when Johnson's lynching occurred he was not in the custody of the Federal court, but of the State authorities.

Mr. Clift especially sets up in his brief that he appears as the friend and not as the paid attorney of his clients. He speaks of them as "old Confederate soldiers and men of high standing" in their community.

LICENSING NEAR BEAR

Stirred Up Lively Debate Before Raleigh Good Government League.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 11.—The question of advising the city government as to whether near beer saloons be licensed and what license tax shall be imposed, stirred a lively debate at the first annual meeting of the Raleigh Good Government Association tonight, the final outcome being that no official expression was made but individual members expected to indicate their views to the aldermen by November 1st, when the present licenses expire. There seemed to be general opposition to licenses but it was stated that the best interpretation of the law indicates that town and county authorities can be compelled to issue them to proper parties since the State recognizes near beer. The Association wants the highest possible license, $500 or $1,000, instead of the present tax said to be the lowest of any town in the State.

HUGHES NAMES DELEGATES.

To Attend Farmers' National Convention at Raleigh Next Month.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Governor Hughes today appointed the following delegates to represent New York State at the Farmers' National Congress, which will be held at Raleigh, N. C., beginning November 4th. Commissioner R. A. Pearson, of the State Department of Agriculture; Frank N. Godfrey, of Oleon, master of the New York State grange; W. C. Barry, Rochester; B. J. Case, Sodus; W. C. Catchpole, North Rose; Clayton C. Taylor, Lawton Station; Elliot B. Norris, Sodus; Thomas B. Wilson, Hall Corners, and Almon R. Eastman, Waterville.

PIE FAMINE IN NEW YORK

Employes of Bakeries Strike For Higher Wages—Severely Felt.

New York, Oct. 11.—New York faced a pie famine today as the result of the strike of the employes of several big pie bakeries. These estimates turn out about 125,000 pies a day.

While the smaller bakeries which do a retail trade are still running, the result of the strike is severely felt by hotels and restaurants which buy their pies in large lots. The striking pie makers wanted their wages raised

PANAMA LIBEL SUITS IN COURT

Judge Anderson Says Case is "More or Less of a Political Matter."

THE ARGUMENT FOR REMOVAL

Case in Which Owners of Indianapolis News Figure as Defendants on Criminal Charge—Opinion in the Case.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 11.—That the so-called "Panama libel case" was "more or less of a political matter" was the comment of Judge A. B. Anderson, of the United States District court at the close of argument today in the hearing of Charles R. Williams and Delavan Smith, proprietors of the Indianapolis News, whom the government is seeking to remove to the District of Columbia for trial on the charge of criminally libelling former President Roosevelt, President Taft, Charles P. Taft, William Nelson Cromwell, J. Pierpont Morgan, Douglas Robinson and others. The court said that it wished not to give an impression that it had formed an opinion on the merits of the case, but that it desired to point out the trend of the argument towards its further enlightenment as to whether or not this was probable cause for indictment of Messrs. Williams and Smith by the Federal grand jury of the Disrtict of Columbia for criminal libel in their having published articles intimating that there was a "graft" of $28,000,000 in the sale of the Panama canal zone to the United States by the French company

"What is the guilty intent to be shown on the part of these defendants?" the court asked Stuart McNamara, special attorney of the Department of Justice in charge of the proceedings. The judge went on to explain that he has doubt that it could be shown that the defendants had malicious forethought to libel.

"The whole Panama canal project is a great political project," said the court, " and there has been and is much honest expression of opinion as to the advisability of having chosen the Panama route in preference to the Nicaragua route, and now, since the cost of building the canal is so much larger than at first estimated as to whether or not the United States should own any Atlantic-Pacific canal.

"The press has a duty to perform and in political discussions it seems to me that the conceptions of libel should be greatly different from the conception that should apply to a case of libel on a person's private character."

Mr. McNamara in his argument during the day maintained that copies of the Indianapolis News being sold in Washington, where the crime charged was committed in Washington as well as elsewhere. Mr. McNamara said that he thought the first court in which an action was brought should have jurisdiction. The judge thereupon suggested that if this view of the matter were adopted the question would arise whether or not a proceeding for libel might lie in a hundred different jurisdictions.

John D. Lindsey, of New York, counsel for the New York World, joined in the discussion. He opposed the contention that these defendants should be moved from one part of the country to another and said that the setting of such a precedent would be destructive to the principle of liberty.

The government will submit further authorities in its contention as to the meaning of criminal libel and as to the right of the court to order the removal of the defendants to another district for trial. Ferdinand W. Winter, of this city, will argue for the defendants.

CAROLINA CONVICT ESCAPES

Negro on Way to State Prison Jumps From Express Train.

Tivoli, N. Y., Oct. 11.—Edward Davis, alias King, negro convict, jumped from a New York Central Express train near here today and disappeared. He was discharged from Dannemora yesterday and was being taken by a warden to a North Carolina prison from which he had escaped. The train had slowed down and King, notwithstanding that he was handcuffed jumped from a platform of a sleeping car. He rolled over but regained his feet and disappeared in the fog. The warden jumped after him but was too badly cut and bruised to give pursuit.

King escaped from the State prison at Raleigh, N. C., six years ago, while awaiting trial for murder. He was afterward arrested in Brooklyn and sent to Dannemora for fipe years.

No change was made in the officers and directors of the Central of Georgia Railroad at the annual meeting of stockholders at Savannah yesterday. At the annual meeting of the Ocean Steamship Company, owned by the Central of Georgia, J. T. Harahan, of Chicago, president of the Illinois Central

THE ROUTE OF THE PARADE.

Streets to Be Traversed by Procession on Taft Day Announced.

The committee has arranged the route of the parade on the day of President Taft's visit to this city, November 9th, less than one month off. The procession will form at foot of Market street upon the return of the Presidential party from the trip down the historic Cape Fear on the revenue cutter Seminole.

The following streets will be traversed in the order named: Up Market to Fourth, thence up Fourth to Chesnut, thence to Front, west side of Front to Orange, thence to Sixth, thence to Dock, thence to Eighth, thence to Market, thence to Third, thence to Princess street. Several of the streets mentioned need repairs and this has been called to the attention of the Mayor and he has taken the matter up with Fred Bonitz, Esq., chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee, and the repairs will probably be made as requested.

The committee has also called the attention of the Mayor to the importance of notifying the public to have all awnings and canvas across signs raised, and state that the streets traversed by the parade must be entirely clear from curb to curb of all vehicles and obstructions of any character. The committee states that the public should make a general rearing up, especially along the line of march, and should make a special effort to decorate individual houses.

On the morning of the 9th of November a committee will call for the President and his party at the union station. Automobiles will be in waiting and the party will be taken up Front street to the residence of Mr. James Sprunt, 400 Front street, for breakfast. Returning the party will go down Nun street to Third, up Third to Market, thence to Water and thence to the Government wharf to board the revenue cutter Seminole for the trip down the river.

BURGAW A LIVE TOWN.

Notable Gathering of Masons—Notes About Business—Other News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., Oct. 9.—There is a large gathering of Masons at King Solomon's Lodge, No. 138, at a social function that originated with this lodge, called a "Quarterly meeting. After opening and closing of the lodge the wives, daughters and sweethearts of the brethren spread a fine dinner, with the usual trimmings of fruit and ice-cream. After all had become sufficiently fed and the cook filled, there were several baskets of fragments and gallons of cream left. Impromptu talks were made by Messrs. J. T. Bland, E. D. Pearsall, J. E. Williams and others. Past Master Pettigrew Moore, who was Worshipful Master for 17 years, and is now in his 84th year, was present—a brave and gallant Confederate soldier. Visiting brethren J. C. Hale, of Casca Lodge, Me., and J. E. Williams, of Warsaw, made short talks that were much appreciated.

Burgaw is now rated as one of the commercial coming cities between Goldsboro and Wilmington. Fine graded schools, enrolling 160 pupils, with competent teachers, with a lyceum course of entertainments for the long Winter evenings. Much is promised and will be realized in an intellectual way. In a business way the Croom Bros. are running department stores that are not equalled between the above named points. Messrs. John F. Moore, J. D. Farrior, C. Harrell & Sons carry a large and extensive general lines and all enjoy a lucrative trade.

Messrs. J. M. Myers & Co. have recently opened and have a lot of pretty lady clerks to sell a most complete line of ladies' furnishings—from "Top to toe"—with all manner of furbelows.

An old familiar sign is gone—the old Pender Hotel—from whose dining hall have emerged Senators, judges, lawyers and many others, after being fed by that jolly landlord, Capt. Robert Croom.

Solid blocks of brick will take place of unsightly wooden buildings in other sections of Pender's coming city.

E. D. P.

Completed to El Paso.

The Wilmington, Brunswick and Southern railroad, which is being built from Navassa toward Southport, was completed to El Paso, Brunswick county, on Saturday. It is said to be the purpose of the promoters to continue the road as fast as possible all the way to Southport. The completed portion of the line is now seven miles in length.

To Buy Furniture Stock.

Mr. A. C. Sneed, head of the Sneed Furniture Company, has gone to visit the larger furniture manufacturing centres of the North and West and will purchase an extensive stock for his establishment. This is in preparation for a big sale that is shortly to be inaugurated, due notice of which will be given.

They All Demand It.

Wilmington, Like Every City and Town in the Union, Receives It.

People with kidney ills want to be cured. When one suffers the tortures of an aching back, relief is eagerly sought for. There are many remedies today that relieve but do not cure. Here is evidence to prove that Doan's Kidney Pills cure, and the cure is lasting.

R. A. Biddle, 606 Castle St., Wilmington, N. C., says: 'About four years ago I used Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney trouble and they did me so much good that I gave a testimonial for publication recommending them. I have had no occasion to use this remedy since as the cure it performed was a permanent one. I am willing that my testimonial be published again. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills a great many times and know of several people who have been greatly benefittted by them."

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HOWE'S GREAT LONDON SHOWS.

What Boy Ever Lived That Wouldn't Go and See the Circus Unload?

"There is nothing that recalls a man's boyhood days more vividly than the circus. It is a trite saying that many fathers are mighty glad that the taking of their children gives an excuse to attend all the circuses that come to the city, but there are a lot of the men who are not ashamed of the fact that they are merely boys grown up, and go to the circuses because they enjoy them. The odor of the animals and sawdust brings back the days when, knowing the circus was coming, they would get up before daylight, not to see the big vans unloaded from the trains, for circuses did not travel by railway those days, but to walk out in the country a few miles to meet the caravans, which traveled overland from town to town. To walk into town beside the elephant was the greatest fun imaginable. There was not as much to the average circus then as there is today, but there was plenty for all to see, and the boy who was not permitted to at least hang around the show grounds was indeed in bad luck."

The children will be delighted with the miniature menagerie, with boy trainers, drivers and caretakers.

Let the boys and girls tell their parents that Howe's London Shows will be here Thursday, October 21.

"GETTING HISTORY STRAIGHT."

First Hanging of White Man Since the War—Some Recollections.

A friend of the Star quite familiar with the history of Wilmington since the war, calls attention to the fact that the incident of the only hanging of a white man here since the "oldest inhabitant" can remember, is somewhat confused. The conviction of William Wright Parker, just after the war, he says, was for murder by killing Mr. William Childress, an engineer on the Wilmington & Weldon railroad during the war, and throwing the body in Smith's Creek. Mr. Childress was from Richmond, Va. Parker escaped, went to Newbern, married there and after the war Constable Lang Sellars went over there, arrested him and brought him here. He was convicted and hung on the hill near Kidder's Mill. The gentleman who recalls the instance says this was the first and only man he ever saw hung and the execution made a lasting impression on his mind. Nearly every railroad man, he says, quit work that day and went out to see the hanging.

SPRING HOPE NOTES.

Good Banking Record—Book Club Organized—Children Recovering.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Spring Hope, Oct. 11.—At a recent meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank, of this place, it was decided to increase the capital stock from $10,000 to $15,000, and this was done without the expenditure of a single cent by the stockholders. The bank was launched just four years ago with the late W. H. Griffin as president and G. F. Crocker as cashier. The affairs of the bank have managed so well that it was possible with the surplus to increase the capital 50 per cent. and still leave a surplus fund on hand. The directors of the bank are: L. E. Tyson, G. W. Bunn, A. C. Yarborough, C. B. Brantley, W. B. Wheeler, H. F. Tunnell, A. F. May, and Joe Liebman. The officers of the bank are A. F. May, president; C. B. Brantley, vice-president, and E. Randolph Dew, cashier.

The young people of the town have organized a book club with N. G. Clarke, president; Robert E. Ranson, secretary, and C. C. Pierce, librarian. Some 25 volumes of the latest fiction have already been ordered, and ather books will be added to the list as the months go by.

The little boy and girl of Mr. J. L. Barbee, who were run over by a lumber wagon loaded with some 2,000 pounds of lumber seem to be on the road to recovery. It is just another illustration of the truth that man is wonderfully and fearfully made.

Land Auction Postponed.

The land auction of desirable lots on Mr. W. B.Clellan's place, in East Wilmington, advertised to take place yesterday, had to be postponed on account of the rain. The postponed date is next Monday, October 18th, when the property will be sold, rain or shine. Look out for further announcement of the sale.

IN BED AND OUT

After Taking Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, Mrs. Mills, of Uvalde, Says She Feels Like a New Person.

Uvalde, Tex.—"I was in bed and out," writes Mrs. Thos. G. Mills, of this town, "and could not do any of my housework. I have taken three bottles of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and am now able to do it myself and feel like a new person.

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You should certainly waste no time in getting a bottle of Cardui, if you feel that you need a tonic.

No one can know so well as you, whether you need one or not. If you feel weak, tired, languid, lazy, unable to work or take an interest in the things and people around you; if you are cross, irritable, easily vexed, feel like crying over trifles, and in general what folks call "out of sorts," you need a tonic—you need Cardui, the woman's tonic.

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THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Negro Gets Six Months on Roads for Assault on Negress.

John Beaty, colored, was the star defendant in yesterday's session of the Recorder's court. He was charged with assault with a deadly weapon upon Amelia Jewett, colored, in that he advanced toward her with a knife, and with the larceny of $1 from the same negress. He admitted that he took the money and hid it, but claimed that he was only teasing her. The larceny case was dismissed, but he was found guilty of the other charge and was given six months on the county roads. Sam Miller, colored, was found guilty of gambling and was fined $10 and costs. Miller was captured Sunday by Patrolman Leon George. Three negroes were playing cards at the corner of Ninth and Nixon streets, but the other two eluded the officer. Phillips Slatt, a soldier from Fort Caswell, was found guilty of drunkenness and disorderly conduct and fined $5 and costs.

At the request of Marsden Bellamy, Jr., Esq., acting county attorney, the case against Walter Melton, a white man, charged with selling whiskey to L. Herring, a white man, was continued until today. A case against Julius Cowan, colored, charged with an assault upon a negro woman, was also continued until today, the continuance being sought by the defendant on account of the absence of his attorney, C. D. Weeks, Esq., who was engaged in Superior Court at the time.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

There was a good meeting of the Men's Bible Study Class at the Y. M. C. A. last night. The First Aid to the Injured Class also had an interesting session. The Boy's, the Business Men's and the Young Men's gymnasium classes are also down to good work now and are the best attended in several seasons.

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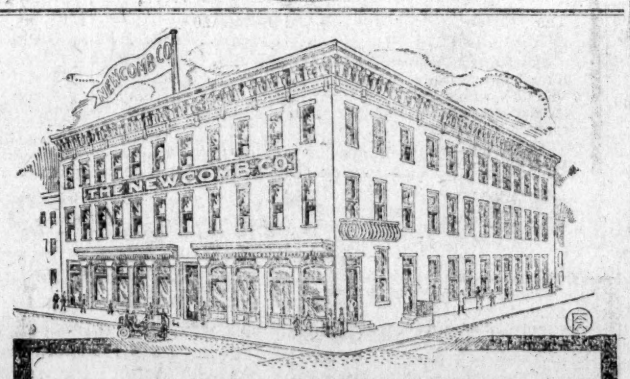
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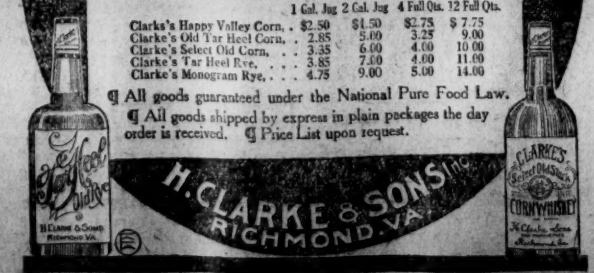
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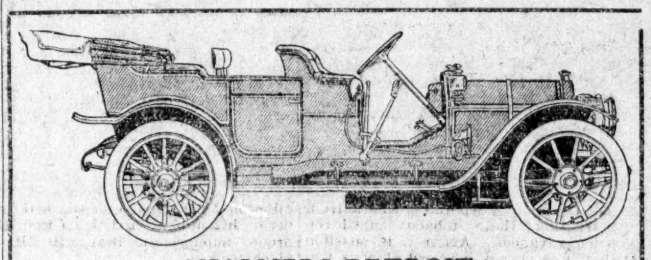
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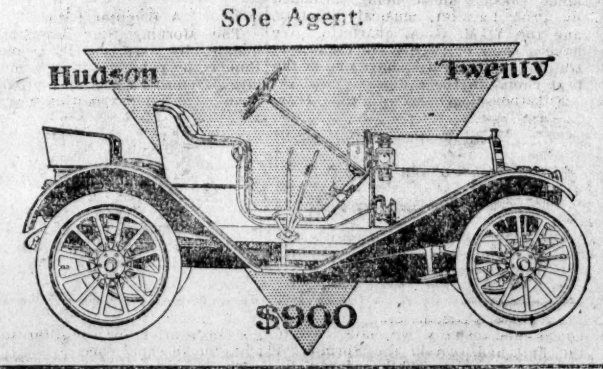


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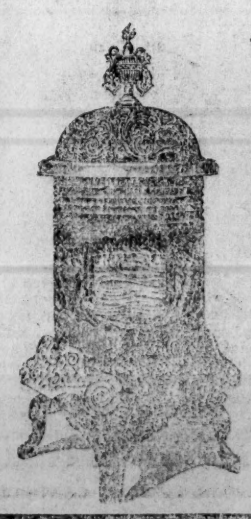
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THE STATE IN EPITOME

¶News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in the North Carolina Press. : : : : : : :

Jackson's Grandson West Point Full-back.

Many Charlotte friends of Mr. Jackson Christian, the son of Mr. W. E. Christian and the only grandson of General Stonewall Jackson, will be interested to learn that he has been made full-back on the West Point Military Academy football team. Mr. Christian is a Charlotte boy and much interest is taken by his friends here in his career at the Military Academy.

He holds the medal there for the champion wrestler and the new athletic position he has won speaks well for him. The Army and Navy will play at Philadelphia within the next few weeks.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Mr. F. Jones, an attorney of Murfreeboro, Tenn., has been in Wadesboro several days searching for the heirs of Henry Wilson, who died about six months ago in Rutherford county, Tennessee, Mr. Jones says that Wilson, who was a very eccentric old man, died suddenly leaving no known heirs to inherit his fortune of $60,000. Among the old man's papers was a letter written in 1857, and signed by John Wilson, who, according to the letter, apeared to be a cousin of Henry Wilson. This letter was mailed at Wadesboro and this fact accounts for Mr. Jones being here investigating the matter. So far, however, he has not been able to discover any tangible clue as to the heirs of Henry Wilson.—Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer.

Night Riders in Stokes.

That night riders are holding forth in Stokes county was the information received in Winston-Salem yesterday. No notices have been posted, no threats have been made and it is not believed that any organization is back of the movement, but it is a fact that a band of men have been visiting the barns at night where tobacco was being cured and "rocking" the buildings in an effort to frighten the farmers. They visited the barn of Mr. T. S. Boyles, who lives near King, and attempted to frighten him. He wouldn't frighten, however, and they left. Last Thursday night they went again and began their dirty work. Mr. Boyles was ready for them. He had his gun. And he chased them away, firing at them. It is believed that he "winged" one, for following one of the shots, a suppressed scream was heard. The details of the affair are scarce and could not be secured yesterday. It is not known what the object of the marauders is. It is possible that they are trying to keep the farmers from marketing their tobacco until the price advances. Again it is possible that it is merely a crowd of boys trying to have some "fun."—Winston Journal.

OAK RIDGE INSTITUTE.

Live Items of School Life at This Growing Institution.

Oak Ridge, N. C., Oct. 11.—A very enthusiastic meeting of the local Y. M. C. A. was held Sunday afternoon. The welcome address was delivered by Mr. E. A. Branch, president of the association, and interesting talks by Profs. J. Allen Holt, J. M. Hester and G. W. Lassiter were enjoyed very much, special music being furnished by Prof. Lassiter, musical directors, and the Y. M. C. A. quartette. We have a choir of twenty voices now in training and expect to have one of the best choirs in the State.

Fifty boys in charge of Profs. J. W. Hester and T. E. Whitaker left this morning on the annual trip to Pilot Mountain. This is a trip that every boy enjoys and especially those from the eastern part of the State.

Dr. Edwin Hall, of New York, gave his lecture on "How to Get Married and Stay So" in Holt Hall last night. To say this was enjoyed by the 150 boys who heard him is putting it mildly.

The most interesting feature of the literary society work is the moot courts and usually we have two in the Fall and two in the Spring. A comittee from the Philomathean literary society is getting up a trial for Friday night the 22d. We find that this is one of the best things for the young debaters, as some of them are now dreaming of the days when they shall be in the practice of law.

KIND WORDS.

The Wilmington Star has enlarged, donned new fall headgear and now looks altogether lovely. The new editor, Mr. Robert Gray, is making an editorial page for the Star that shines for all. —Reidsville Review.

The Morning Star, of Wilmington, comes out with a new press, a new head and a new editor. The latter is Mr. Robert L. Gray, a journalist trained by experience and a North Carolinian, of Raleigh, who has already made his mark in the journalistic field. Here's wishing continued success to North Carolina's oldest daily paper.—Union Republican.

The Wilmington Star has been greatly improved in every way and in all its departments. It now looks like a metropolitan daily and does credit to the city of Wilmington as a representative newspaper. We do not know of anything that we could suggest to the new management of this old journal to make it better in any of the details that go toward making a first class newspaper.—Blue Ridge Breeze.

The Wilmington Star has been enlarged and its mechanical equipment greatly improved. But this is not all. Mr. Robert L. Gray, for a long time connected with the Raleigh News and Observer, has become editor of the paper. Mr. Gray, as all know who took note of his work on the News and Observer, stands in the forefront of the State's best writers. He will make the editorial columns of the Star scintilate.—Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer.

The Morning Star of Wilmington, N. C., appears in new dress, with new make up, new title-head and a new editor, Mr. Gray, formerly of the Raleigh News and Observer having been called to the tripod. The Star has put in a new perfecting press and made a number of improvements, so that now it is an exceptionally good-looking paper and is as bright and snappy as could be desired. And now it's up to Wilmington. The paper, as a matter of cold fact, has taken a step in advance of the development of the town, which is a way first papers have of doing. Wilmington must live up to its excellent representative to the outside world.—Savannah News.

The Morning Star.

On Sunday morning The Morning Star, of Wilmington, came out in a brand new dress of sixteen skirts. The Star, it will be remembered, was recently sold by Major W. H. Bernard to a company of enterprising gentlemen of Wilmington. Sometime ago it announced that early improvements would be made and on Sunday the thousands of readers of that splendid journal were agreeably surprised and delighted. Under the new management Mr. J. E. Thompson is vice-president and manager and Mr. R. L. Gray, of Raleigh, is the editor. Mr. Thompson has been a useful man on the force of the Star for a number of years. He always makes good and is exceedingly popular. Editor Gray is welcomed into the field of journalism in East Carolina and his splendid work on other leading journals of the State in the past already introduces him to the people of our section. He is a good newspaper man and Wilmington and its excellent daily paper are to be congratulated. The News is glad to have him close to us.—East Carolina News.

Congratulations!

The esteemed Wilmington Star appeared last Sunday in enlarged form and improved apearance, having added new equipment to the amount of $10,000, which includes a new perfecting press and another latest model linotype machine. The most interesting part, however, of the Star's recent stride forward is its acquisition of Mr. Robert L. Gray, for some time connected with the editorial staff of the Raleigh News and Observer, and one of the brightest and most accomplished newspaper men in the State, as editor. With Mr. Gray in charge of the editorial department and our good friend Mr. J. E. Thompson as general manager, the Star will shine even more brightly than it has in the past. This enlargement and improvement of the Star is striking evidence of the progressiveness of the people of Wilmington. That good city can make no better investment, and if accorded the proper support the Star will fill its place well.

Born and reared down the lower Cape Fear, this writer has always entertained a warm interest in Wilmington. We are delighted with every evidence of progress on the part of that good old town, and we want to see it take its rightful position as the commercial center of the State, and be, as it should, to North Carolina exactly what Norfolk is to Virginia. Give Wilmington a "fair shake" in the matter of freight rates and a 30-foot channel to the sea, and this ideal will soon be attained.—Mt. Olive Tribune.

A Brighter "Star."

The Morning Star agreeably and delightfully surprised its readers on Sunday by coming out in a much enlarged, improved and more progressive form. The Sunday edition was of sixteen pages, seven column size and was filled with fine reading matter. The paper has been improved in every way; in local and foreign news service, typographical make up and in general appearance, and shows with its first issue in its present improved and enlarged form that it will be a newspaper in every way worthy of the city of Wilmington, whose amazing growth and development in the past few months is one of the great factors which made it possible and imperative for the Star to keep along at an equal pace.

The Star Company has been mighty lucky in securing the services of Mr. Robert L. Gray, formerly of Raleigh, and the News and Observer staff, to manage the editorial steering gear. Mr. Gray, besides being an experienced newspaper man, is a gifted and versatile writer, with a style of writing and strength of views on all subjects especially attractive and able. He will make the editorial page of the Star one of its most sought after and creditable features and it is safe to say that his policies will safely lead the paper to a higher pinnacle in the journalism of the State.

The company which now owns the Star has recently spent $10,000 in new and modern machinery in which is included a latest type perfecting press capable of turning out 5,000 complete printed, trimmed and folded papers per hour, and also a most improved linotype machine.

We wish for the Star an increased patronage and appreciation commensurate to efforts which it will make to give Wilmington a first-class paper, second to none in the State.—Southport Herald.

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Since my first trial of it, I can truly say that it has given complete satisfaction; whether it is used alone, as "shortening," or in combination with butter in pastry, biscuits, etc., or in frying, it has never disappointed me.

I honestly believe it to be the very best thing of its kind ever offered to the American housekeeper, and I am glad of the opportunity to make my conviction public.

Yours truly,
"Marion Harland."

S.S.S. NATURE'S PERFECT TONIC

Something more than an ordinary tonic is required to restore health to a weakened, run-down system; the medicine must possess blood-purifying properties as well, because the weakness and impurity of the circulation is responsible for the poor physical condition. The blood does not contain the necessary quantity of rich, red corpuscles, and is therefore a weak, watery stream which cannot afford sufficient nourishment to sustain the system in ordinary health. A poorly nourished body cannot resist disease, and this explains why so many persons are attacked by a spell of sickness when the use of a good tonic would have prevented the trouble. In S. S. S. will be found both blood-cleansing and tonic qualities combined. It builds up weak constitutions by removing all impurities and germs from the blood, thus supplying a certain means for restoring strength and invigorating the system. The healthful, vegetable ingredients of which S. S. S. is composed make it splendidly fitted to the needs of those systems which are delicate from any cause. It is Nature's Perfect Tonic, free from all harmful minerals, a safe and pleasant acting medicine for persons of every age. S. S. S. rids the body of that tired, worn-out feeling so common at this season, improves the appetite and digestion, tones up the stomach, acts with pleasing effects on the nervous system, and reinvigorates every portion of the body. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

GAYLORD'S

BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

holds the "cream of the crop" in this Fall's Dress Goods and Domestics, and holds the pennant for low prices on the same. During the recent depression when all goods were low and cotton at 9c, we used the power of ready cash and piled up the things we needed for our Fall trade. Cotton is now 13c, but we are offering you these great values on our 9c purchase basis, sharing with you the benefits of our luck and foresight.

54-inch Ladies' Cloth in Black and Colors, quoted on the drygoods market at $1.25 per yard, will be sold by us for 98c

54-inch Fancy Broadcloth of straight dollar value can be bought at our store for 65c

A splendid grade of all-wool Flannel 54 inches wide; great bargain for the price 50c

54-inch Satin Striped Raure Suiting, in Catawba, navy, olive, etc. Handsome in appearance. Fine quality.. 1.00

Something special in Foulards of 15 and 18c value, at 10c

Fine quality striped "Rep," new and pretty 25c

Beautiful line of large figured outing for kimonas; regular 18c grade, we are offering at 10 and 12½c

Long Cloth Finished Bleaching 36 inches; worth 12 1-2c 9c

No Dressing Bleaching 36 inches wide 8c

Splendid quality French Madras in short lengths 36 inches wide 12 1-2c

Finest Percales, in light and dark 10c

"Red Seal" Ginghams in short lengths 10c

The ordinary 7c Apron Checks in 10 and 20 yard pieces 5c

The largest portion of our Pattern Hats did not arrive in time for the first two days opening, but will be on exhibition this week, together with a lot of new arrivals in Hats and Ribbons, also some special things that we were unable to put on exhibition for lack of room.

Every day will add some new and attractive feature to our great Millinery Display.

GEO. O. GAYLORD
BIG DEPARTMENT STORE
210, 212, 214 N. FRONT ST.

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Hand-Tailored Clothes

The sort that look as good at the beginning of the second season as when you bought them, because they are not pressed or padded into shape, but worked and moulded and formed.

Stein-Bloch clothes are hand-tailored of dependable fabrics, and sold to you at moderate prices.

We recommend these clothes because we want your permanent patronage.

Our principle is "One good suit brings you back for another."

A full and complete line of hats, furnishing goods, trunks, suit cases and grips.

J.W. FLEET CO.

Phone 673. So. W. Corner Front and Princess Sts.



Atlantic Cafe

OPPOSITE UNION DEPOT.

Remember, we are most conveniently located when leaving or arriving by train or any other time to serve you QUICK LUNCHES, STEAKS, CHOPS, FISH RICE BIRDS &C., and delicious CHESAPEAKE BAY OYSTERS on half shell, stewed or fried.

Try our MIDDAY LUNCH 12 to 2 P. M. It will please you.

GIECHEN BROS., Proprietors.

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SMOKE

Cuban Blossom

CIGARS!

WHY ?

Because It is the Best Cigar for the Money.

H. L. VOLLERS
Wholesale Grocer.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK of Wilmington, N. C. desires to announce that the institution, beginning business September 18th, 1905, was

FOUR YEARS OLD SEPTEMBER 18TH, 1909.

The capital of $200,000.00 and surplus of $100,000.00 were subscribed and paid in instalments.

No interest has been paid upon individual deposits and no interest bearing certificates have been issued.

All premium on $200,000.00 United States bonds has been charged off to current profits, likewise $3,000.00 on fixture account, amounting in all to about $13,000.00.

Total of $40,000.00 cash DIVIDENDS returned to the stockholders.

Without the impetus of assets absorbed from other banks or the payment of interest on individual deposits, the manageemnt is gratified at the growth shown four years from commencement of business, as follows:

Capital	$ 200,000.00
Surplus	$ 100,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	$ 44,000.00
Deposits	$1,262,037.46
Total Assets	$2,038,393.01

The success of the bank is due to a careful adherence to regulations of the United States Government, prescribed in the National Banking Act, and to the confidence and patronage of the business public at large, to which due acknowledgement is hereby made.

MATT J. HEYER, President.
HUGH MacRAE, Vice-President.
D. L. GORE, Vice-President.
C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

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N. & W. Ry. Norfolk & Western

Quickest and best Line West and Northwest.
Block System, Rock Ballast, 85-lb. Rail
Schedule in Effect May 1st, 1909.

Lv. Norfolk	7:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

Close connections made for Seattle, San Francisco and all Western points.
Pullman sleeping and parlor cars N and W. Cafe dining cars. Equipment and service standard of excellence. Blue Ridge and Allegheny mountains crossed at most picturesque parts.
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Gen. Pass. Agent, Roanoke, Va.
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Dist. Pass. Agent, Richmond, Va.

STATEMENT OF

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK

of Wilmington, September 30, 1909.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$3,097,446 44
U. S. Bonds at par	551,000 00
Bank Building	25,000 00
Stocks and Bonds	200,053 00
Cash and due by Banks	1,761,260 28
	$5,634,759 72

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$ 550,000 00
Surplus	355,000 00
Circulation	550 000 00
Deposits	4,079,759 72
U. S. Bond account	100,000 00
	$5,634,759 72

H. C. McQUEEN, President.
C. S. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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An Extra Large Assortment

of Fancy Meats. Beef, Veal, Mutton, Lamb, Pork, All Pork Sausage, Spring Chickens, butter, Eggs, Hams and Bacon. Prompt Attention, Quick Delivery, our Motto.

We Handle Nothing but the very Best.

HOPKINS & DAVIS
FRONT STREET MARKET.
Stalls No. 1 and 2 South side and No. 1 and 3 North side.
Phones 141 and 123.

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PILES! PILES! PILES!

Williams Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and $1.00. Sold by R. R. Bellamy

Atlantic Coast Line

Corrected to October 6, 1909.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

WILMINGTON AND THE NORTH.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48. Daily.	No. 42. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:41 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	*8:35 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. W. Phila.	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41. Daily.	No. 49. Daily.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. W. Phila	11:49 am	12:19 am
Lv. Baltimore	2:10 am	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:35 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk	3:20 pm	8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Lv. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:13 am
Lv. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:35 am
Lv. Rocky Mount	5:00 am	12:50 pm
Lv. Wilson	5:36 am	2:09 pm
Lv. Goldsboro	6:35 am	3:05 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND. Via Wilson

	51 Daily.	55 Daily.	42 Daily.
Lv. Wil'ton	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:20 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	50 Daily.	54 Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Lv. Savannah	1:05 pm	12:15 am
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Lv. Florence	8:40 pm	9:25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

Westbound. 53 Daily.		Eastbound 52 Daily.
8:40 AM	Lv Wilmington Ar	8:05 PM
11:45 AM	Ar Fayetteville Lv	4:50 PM
12:10 PM	Lv Fayetteville Ar	4:45 PM
1:40 PM	Ar. Sanford Lv	3:30 PM

WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Northbound. 62	Daily except Sunday.	Southbound. 63
3:25 PM	Lv Wilmington Ar	12:50 PM
5:17 PM	Ar Jacksonville Lv	10:55 AM
6:44 PM	Ar N & S. Jct Lv	9:35 AM
6:50 PM	Ar Newbern Lv	9:30 AM

*Via Petersburg and N. and W. Ry.
**Daily Except Sunday.

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points East.

Trains 48 and 49 carry Pullman cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.

Trains No. 51 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

Seaboard Air Line

Schedule effective May 2nd, 1909
Subject to change without notice.
Local sleeper between Wilmington and Hamlet on 44 and 45 open for passengers at Wilmington at 9:00 P. M connects at Hamlet with all trains North, South and West with No. 33 at Hamlet, through train for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis.

Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule trains North.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 31 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	6:30 A.M.	6:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:20 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	8:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:25 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York. No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or Call 'Phone No. 1294.

For time tables and information apply to ticket offices or B. W. Arrington, Union Ticket Agent, 'Phone 1294, or F. A. Fetter, Agent, Wilmington, N. C. 'Phone No. 5.

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C. B. RYAN, General Passenger Agent, Portsmouth, Va.

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BANKERS,

Miscellaneous Southern Securities
Cotton Mill Stocks

WILMINGTON, N. C.
New York City, 149 Broadway.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Thursday, September 30th, 1909.

TO BEACH.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45, 9:15, and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, and 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

TO DELGADO AND GOLF LINKS.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *2:25, 3:00, *3:45, 4:30, *5:05, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at *8:25, 8:30, *9:05, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, *1:25, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Golf Links at 6:35, 8:10, 8:40, 9:40, 11:10 A. M. 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, 4:10, *5:15, 5:40, 6:40, 8:15, 9:40 10:45 and 11:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Golf Links at *8:35, *9:15, 10:10, 11:10 A. M., *12:15, 12:40, *1:35, 2:10, 3:40, 4:10, 12:40, 2:10, *2:35, *3:55, 4:10, 5:15, 5:40, 6:40, 8:15, 9:40, 10:45 and 11:45 P. M.

*"Carolina" all others shown in this schedule marked "Beach."

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington daily except Sunday at 4:00 P. M. Freight Depot from 3:00 to 4:00 P. M.

Clyde Steamship Company to NEW YORK and GEORGETOWN, S. C.



New York & Wilmington.
S. S. "Carib".....Friday, October 15.
S. S. "Navahoe"..Friday, October 22.
Wilmington to New York.
S. S. "Navahoe"..Saturday October 16
S. S. "Carib"...Saturday, October 23.
Wilmington to Georgetown.
S. S. "Navahoe"..Monday, October 11.
S. S. "Carib"....Monday, October 18.
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TO PITTSBURG, PA., AND RETURN Via. ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Account Centennial Celebration International Christian Society Churches of Christ in America, October 11th-19th. Round trip rate $25.55. Tickets on sale October 9th, 10th, 14th, and October 15th, final limit returning, October 25th, 1909.

For further information 'phone 160.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
Wilmington, N. C.

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SEED OATS

500 Bu. N. C. R.P. Oats.
2,000 Bu. Texas R.P. Oats.
1,000 Bu. O. K., R.P. Oats.

Oats should be planted this month and by middle of November to get best results.

400 Bbls. Nice Mullets, (100 lbs. fish guaranteed to every barrel.)
3,500 Kegs Nails (cut and wire)
15,000 Sacks Salt.
Get our prices.

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Tuesday, October 12, 1909.

WELCOME TO THE DAUGHTERS.

Today finds in Wilmington the representatives of the State Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, come together in annual meeting.

The place of meeting has been well-chosen. Nowhere could the Daughters have met a heartier welcome, a more gracious hospitality, or a more sympathetic people. In the days of the War Between the States, Wilmington not only gave of her best to the cause, but her people felt the added responsibility of occupying one of the most strategic points sentimentally, and the most strategic practically, in the Southern Confederacy. It was through this port that the Southern armies, after the tremendous initial blunder of the abandonment of Fortress Monroe, were fed. It was to Wilmington that the great-hearted Lee looked, many times not in vain, for succor for his starving heroes. It was down the Cape Fear that the blockade runners slipped to dash by night through the cordon of Federal vessels. And it was in this city, while hearts trembled at the import of the far rumble of cannon, that with the fall of Fort Fisher the tragedy of the Confederacy was finished save for its classic prologue.

Out of these traditions has been preserved a distinct spirit of kindliness, of chivalry and of hospitality that is reminiscent, as in few places, of the "Old South". Always a substantial, this has become an active and an alert community. As the State's only port, Wilmington looks forward to a great commercial future. Its life, since the war, has been transformed to meet the new requirements of a busy and expanding civilization. But its heart has remained the same, and if—among the daughters—there be any of that sweet race of "Mothers of the Confederacy", they will find in the new Wilmington that the old survives in delicate attention and in heartfelt homage to their unique breed of charm and heroism.

"Welcome to our city" has become a trite phrase that generally means a civic desire to get something out of its guests. In this case, it means, "Take what we have; do with us as you will. The town is your very gracious own!"

A CONFEDERATE ON THE BENCH.

Governor Comer, of Alaabma, continues to clash with Federal Judge Jones in the attempt to put into execution the stringent railroad and prohibition laws passed by the State legislature. The scene is laid at too great a distance and the points of controversy are too little germain to North Carolina for space to be given to explicit statement of the matter at issue. Suffice it to say that Governor Comer is still fighting against hope against the construction of the law laid down by the Supreme Court of the United States, and that Judge Jones is proceeding with calmness and determination to enforce such construction. There is, of course, the usual cry of usurpation by the Federal judiciary of powers belonging to the States, and if the militant governor has his way, there will be resultant friction and bad feeling among a large class of the State's population. Our reason for touching on this controversy, however, is not to enter upon a discussion of its merits, but to reproduce with approval the thoughtful words of the New York World, respecting Judge Jones:

"If we look into the careers of the two men we may find an explanation of their present attitude. The Governor, named for a Confederate general, was a boy during the civil war. The Judge, a soldier in that unhappy time, wounded more than once and an officer on Gen. Gordon's staff, was the man who bore the Southern flag of truce at Appomattox. He has been a Federal Judge since 1901. A true Democrat, a fine old ex-Confederate, a wise and fearless magistrate, devoted to the Union as well as to his State. Judge Jones recognizes, supports and justly wields in a measure the authority to which at the end of bloody strife he surrendered in 1865.

"When Governor Comer learns, as others similarly situated have done, that States, even in pursuit of worthy objects, cannot override national law, he will have less trouble with Judge Jones. In the meantime the spectacle of one of Lee's veterans calmly enforcing nationality from the bench cannot fail to carry an impressive lesson in republican government to every part of the nation."

It takes a large soul to accept a condition. It takes a deep conscience to concede the practical results of the inevitable. It takes a true fighter to recognize defeat only for the purpose of shaping it into victory. What Judge Jones is doing, the South as a whole has done. He is conceding Appomattox. He is conceding the results of the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments. Why should he not concede them? Why should he not, like a brave man, recognize facts that he cannot help, and make the most of them? There would have been no "New South" had there been any sulking in the tents by those who, battling for a cause for which they died in profusion and suffered even more than death, found themselves at the end defeated and impoverished. There is a higher cause than political principle; when that cause came to be subserved the South faced it more determinedly and with greater success than it faced the political crisis that made it into a live and continuing issue. The fifteenth amendment has been all but nullified, because it touched the homes and the womanhood and the civilization of a people. Passed in rancor, it could never be obeyed in fact. Yet the same Federal courts that are so much abused for their adherence to the fourteenth, are responsible by their policy of liberal construction of State's rights for the abrogation of the fifteenth amendment. They have observed the distinction and, practically, if not in terms, allowed it. With the New York World, it seems to us a fine thing that the era of nationalism, decreed at Gettysburg and ratified at Appomattox, should be finding one of its most sane and judicial expounders in the person of the very bearer of the flag of truce that represented a still unconquerable civilization's acceptance—within the limitations of its honor—of the judgment of fate.

Personally, we would have been pleased to see the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States uphold the spirit of the Eleventh Amendment. We are yet sufficiently imbued with the tradition of the Confederacy to sigh involuntarily at the spectacle of the Federal judiciary taking jurisdiction of criminal actions pending in State courts and staying by injunction State executive action. But we realize that the letter of the Eleventh is impossible in the spirit of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution. That section was sustained which was sanctified with the blood of both sections. When the point was open, there was perhaps excuse for "near-revolution." Now that it is decided, the less the talk, the more cheerful the acquiescence, the better.

Politics have from time to time given to the South Federal judges puny, impatient and with the petty tyranny inseparable from small men in places of power. But the principle has remained, while the personnel was debauched. Now, the personnel is being fitted to the power. In the case of Judge Jones, the example of a brave Confederate standing for a national policy is worth yards of oratory and volumes of homily.

WICKEDNESS OF STATE FAIRS.

The Ministers Union, of Richmond, made an inspection of the State Fair grounds and lodged protests against the apparel of the Igorotes, the paint on the faces of the women in the side-shows, and the "gambling devices," consisting of the canary bird and candy wheels.

What a wicked time they must have in the capital of the "Old Dominion"! Picture to yourself the joy with which the survivors and descendants of the old time horse-racing, cock-fighting, fox-hunting, poker-playing gentry of the first families must have hailed the opportunity afforded to place a dim on the revolving wheel, in the fair and radiant hope of winning a song bird as a souvenir of the "greatest fair in the history of the State!" Imagine the devil-may-care attitude of young blood out for a lark as it shamelessly gave up its money for transit past the "barker" into the dim and smelly mysteries of the tents in which, to the sound of fife and drum and banjo, painted ladies—painted mind you—sang the song of ribaldry, the while they shook the midway dust from out their flying skirts! And think of the trepidation of those country dames who, all unaware of what lay before them, ventured by chance into the closed arena in which dusky Igorote promenaded in attire of shoestring and pomatum, subduing his wild and bloody instincts for the sake of the round and shiny dollar.

If there were some explanation attached to these annual crusades against such vices—that is, some detailed statement of exactly how they tend to block aspiring footsteps in the way of grace—we should feel better. As it is, the clerical imagination seems to lay itself open to a grave suspicion, in that it discovers evil where no one else suspects it. It must be indeed a rancid mind that can construe the vicious into the mere sight of a modestly naked savage. It must be a prurient, nay a determinedly and predemeditatedly salacious, mind that can suspect the paint upon those hard-working girls of the midway of dazzling youthful eyes into ways of looseness and of sin. And there must be a self-recognition of a most insatiable mania for the card-table and the roulette wheel in the heart that can find in the candy and canary wheels the decisive straw to temptation.

The truth is that one of the greatest forms of intemperance extant is the reforming habit. Drunkards may be "cured"—every experience meeting is full of instances where justly celebrated divines started for the pulpit from the gutter. But, sadly enough, once a reformer—even in a good cause—it is always a reformer. The eye is jaundiced, the mind infected, the heart made bitter instead of glad. The frown succeeds the smile, and the sigh the laugh. All things have the yellow tinge, and to the furred tongue nothing is sweet. The hard part is that all too frequently such performances are perpetrated in the name of religion. And thereby is religion brought into disrepute and ridicule. It is a sad condition when, out of the people of a great city, nobody sees anything wrong in a fair but the ministers union.

COTTON.

Relative to the proposed curtailment in cotton mill production by American mills we invite contemplation of the following figures as to spinners' stocks in England:

"Spinners' stocks, in Great Britain on September 1, 1909, were 202,000 bales against 227,000 bales on September 1st a year ago, or an actual shortage of 75,000 bales this year as compared with last.

"Spinners' stocks on the continent of Europe, September 1, 1909, aggregated 1,314,000 bales, against 1,187,000, September 1, a year ago. This is an actual increase of 137,000 bales, making the increase in foreign stocks September 1, 1909, over September 1, 1908, 62,000 bales, or enough to run the continental mills three days, or enough to run the English mills five days. The English mills used 80,000 bales per week during August, 1909, and 60,000 bales during August, 1908. The continental mills used 11,000 bales per week during August, 1909, and 1908. The total weekly consumption abroad during August, 1909, was 190,000 bales, against 172,000 during August, 1908."

Since September 1, there has been a rapid advance in the price of cotton, and it has become apparent that the American production will fall short of the demand by, at least, a million and a half or two million bales. Since that time, also, there has been a vigorous demand for export, English and continental spinners eagerly purchasing supplies of American cotton even at the advanced prices. In view of the figures given above and of the recent distribution of the supply, it seems to us something more than foolhardy for the American manufacturer to engage in a general movement to curtail production in the hope of depressing the price of cotton. The world's consumption is, in round numbers, seventeen million bales of cotton of all sorts. Of this supply America is looked to for, roughly speaking, 12,500,000 or 13,000,000. With the American crop not exceeding 11,500,000 bales, it is easy to see that there is already a shortage that is sufficient of itself to sustain prices. In addition, there has been a considerable movement of the crop and a large absorption of it by spinners. Farmers, who have already marketed sufficient cotton at high prices to in large measure provide for their immediate and pressing needs, are in the financial condition themselves to see that their statistical position with respect to their crop works out along its logical lines. We deplore the fact that mills—especially those in the South—should have been caught with low supplies and with their books filled with contracts that it seems cannot be complied with except at a loss. Anything that hurts the mills, hurts the communities in which they are operated and the section of which they are so important a commercial factor. As we pointed out recently, however, their situation seems to be rather the result of a want of ordinary business foresight that is, in reality, as bad a "gamble" as the "speculation" that is now so viorously attacked. At any rate, a closing down of the mills at this time promises to be permanent, if a low price for cotton is a prerequisite to resumption. We trust that the mills will take a "sporting" attitude toward their losses and not a suicidal one in the face of the inevitable.

Raleigh does not seem to be any more "moral" than it can help.

Clerks have also "riz"—not on the proverbial toe of their employers, either.

The advocates of the ship subsidy will make very few votes by "knocking" the navy.

This is the "electric age." Beginning next Friday, even the hangman goes out of business.

We do not know that Governor Kitchin has ever recanted on "free silver;" at any rate, his silence is golden.

Uncle Sam has discovered that the increase in the cost of living also touches the pocketbook of him who employs clerks.

October 12th is "University Day." It happens, also, to be the birthday of "Jule" Carr. That was a happy day for the University.

Astronomers tell us that before long Venus may be seen with the nude eye. Put in a hurry call for Anthony Comstock.

Has Colonel Jones, of the Transcontinental Railroad, ever realized the amount of live steam he is expending previous to the event?

The Washington Post is largely concerned with "appropriated speeches" by former statesmen. What this country needs is amputated oratory.

Belden, University half-back, kicked the goal that won from Tennessee. We hereby place Mr. Belden formally in nomination for secretary of the boosters' club of Wilmington.

The Georgia W. C. T. U. has started a campaign against near-beer and tobacco. Has the Society considered that buttermilk contains more than one-half of one per cent. of alcohol?

With Stonewall Jackson's grandson on the Army football eleven, the Navy will doubtless experience difficulty both in knowing whence the next attack will come, and where they are "at", when it arrives.

The Richmond News-Leader should ask at once for the desk of its historical editor. The latter puts down Ty Cobb's birthplace as South Carolina, while—as all baseball antiquarians know—he was born in Georgia.

The way for ex-Governor Aycock to reform the Supreme Court is to get on it. Getting to be the successor of Chief Justice Clark might accomplish the end—and it would certainly furnish the man who does it plenty of exercise.

An Indiana author says that he will "abandon literature" just so soon as he has made enough money out of his books on which to retire "to the farm." Judging from some notable Indiana efforts, it is not necessary to write literature to make money out of books in that State.

"How happy Mr. Taft would be," says the Richmond Dispatch, "if he could spend all these autumn weeks in Richmond, the grub hub of the universe." Although the yare fed, Presidents, like other folks, get no grub they don't grub for.

A Wake county jury is hopelessly hung over the question of the guilt or innocence of one Bertha Brown. And this, notwithstanding the fact that Editor Josephus Daniels had already passed on the facts and rendered a verdict of guilty. It is now in order for Mr. Daniels to convict the jury.

We will fly the sooner, when Wilbur Wright stops thinking about how fast an aeroplane can be built to go, and devotes his talents to figuring how to get one up in the air without taking a running start. A ten-acre "garage" is a serious impediment to prospective purchasers of aerial pleasure-craft.

Colonel John R. Webster has begun to pull the records on the brethren as to their votes on State prohibition and their comments thereon. Why Colonel Webster does not incorporate himself as a "combined card-index and press-clipping bureau, we don't know, unless it is that genius has proverbially no business instinct.

CURRENT COMMENT.

No better evidence of returning prosperity is needed than the rapid decrease in the number of idle freight cars. At the beginning of the calendar year the number of idle freight cars stood at 332,513, and the report for September 15 shows that the railroads had but 68,502. Before the present month has run its course the chances are that the railroads will not have a single idle car, a condition that they have not experienced in two whole years. The truth is, the country fears today a car shortage much more than a car surplus. This great change plainly means that activity in general business is steadily increasing.—Goldsboro Argus.

The Charleston News and Courier says Speaker Joe Cannon downs deep waterways, but it will take a bigger man than Cannon to stop the current of public sentiment that is running toward deep water ways.—Augusta Chronicle.

There goes the Richmond News-Leader after Frank B. Sanborn, the unreconstructed Springfield worshiper of John Brown, because he refers to General Lee as a traitor. Our contemporary mustn't get angry with Mr. Sanborn for thir. No doubt he is writing a prize essary for some Confederate Camp, and we should regard everything he says as remarkably broadminded in view of his bringing up.—Norfolk Landmark.

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State of North Carolina, Department of State. Certificate of Dissolution.—To all to whom these Presents may come—Greeting: Whereas, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof, by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that Hunters Club, Inc., a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the city of Wilmington, county of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, J. E. Taylor being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution. Now, Therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 16th day of September, 1909, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office, as provided by law. In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 16th day of September, A. D. 1909.

(Seal.) J. BRYAN GRIMES,
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DELEGATES TO CONVENTION

Visiting Daughters of the Confederacy and Where They Will Be Entertained—Distinguished Body of Women.

Plans for the approaching convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy have been practically completed, and the many visitors from all over North Carolina have already been arranged for. It will probably be of interest to those having friends among the delegates, to know the arrangements which have been made for the ladies expected to arrive, and their places of residence, or by whom entertained, while in Wilmington. The following list has been procured from the chairman of the Entertainment Committee:

Asheville—Mrs. J. H. Wood, with Miss Bettie Price; Mrs. I. J. Woolridge, with Mrs. N. H. Quince.

Albemarle—Mrs. R. L. Smith and Mrs. E. M. Asbury, with Mrs. W. G. Whitehead.

Asheboro—Miss Lillian Bunch, with Miss Julia Post.

Burgaw—Miss Maggie Williams, with Miss Bloodworth.

Concord—Mrs. W. J. Montgomery, with Mrs. J. C. Stevenson.

Clinton—Miss Annie Laurie Partrick, with Mrs. Joe Yates.

Chapel Hill—Mrs. S. M. McNidor, with Mrs. Gabriel Holmes.

Dunn—Mrs. Young, with Mrs. Geo. Thomas.

Durham—Mrs. W. B. Tyree and Mrs. J. B. Manning, with Mrs. A. J. Howell; Mrs. A. P. Gilbert, with Mrs. Jas. F. Woolvin.

Edenton—Mrs. Summerill, with Miss Julia Gore.

Elizabeth City—Mrs. I. H. Leary with Miss Julia James.

Enfield—Mrs. E. L. Whitehead, with Mrs. J. P. Queich.

Fayetteville—Mrs. J. H. Anderson, with Mrs. F. L. Holloway; Miss Fan Williams, with Mrs. W. H. Pemberton; Mrs. E. Y. Nolley, with Mrs. Love; Mrs. J. M. Matthews, with Mrs. Herbert Fentress; Mrs. Newton Smith, with Mrs. Roger Kingsbury.

Faison—Mrs. H. McD. Williams, with Mrs. James Sprunt; Mrs. Mosely Bowden, with Mrs. Henry Bowden.

Greenville—Mrs. Jarvis and Mrs. Cotton, with Mrs. Walker Taylor.

Goldsboro—Mrs. Broadhurst, with Mrs. W. R. Kenan; Mrs. Nathan O'Berry, with Mrs. L. L. Pritchard; Miss Minnie Slocumb, with Miss Elizabeth Woodward; Miss Sallie Kirby, with Miss Alice Borden.

Gastonia—Mrs. Thos. L. Craig, with Mrs. W. B. Cooper; Mrs. J. T. Reid, with Mrs. S. W. Sanders; Mrs. A. A. McLean, with Miss Divine; Miss Lowery Shuford, with Mrs. W. A. French, Jr.

Graham—Mrs. C. B. Irvine, with Miss Anita DeRosset; Mrs E. C. Murray, with Miss Charlotte Fennell.

Greensboro—Mrs. H. D. Blake and Mrs. C. M. Vanstort, with Mrs. J. H. Watters; Mrs. J. G. Broadnax, with Mrs. M. S. Willard; Mrs. S. L. Gilmer, with Mrs. Gabriel Holmes.

Henderson—Mrs. W. O. Shannon, with Mrs. W. B. Cooper; Mrs. Sydney Cooper, with Mrs. P. L. Bridgers; Mrs. A. C. Zollicoffer, with Mrs. D. O'Connor; Mrs. J. D. Cooper, with Mrs. W. L. Parsley.

Shelby—Miss Madge Webb with the Misses Meares.

High Point—Mrs. J. B. Richardson and Mrs. Charles Long, with Mrs. Jos. D. Smith.

Halifax—Mrs. E. L. Travis, with Mrs. J. Hicks Bunting.

Kinston—Mrs. Hines, Mrs. Woodley and Miss Julia Whitfield, with Mrs. W. M. Creasy; Mrs. Felix Harvey, with Miss Yates.

Kenansville—Mrs. H. D. Williams and Mrs. L. A. Beasley, with Mrs. D. Rountree.

Lexington—Mrs. W. H. Mendenhall, Mrs. C. C. Hargrove, with Mrs. Walter Kingsbury.

Lincolnton—Mrs. R. E. Costner, with Miss Metts; Mrs. R. H. Reinhardt, with Mrs. J. R. Williams; Mrs. B. C. Cobb, with Mrs. W. B. McKoy.

Littleton—Miss Lucy Leach, with Mrs. L. H. Skinner; Mrs. Harry Cawthorne, with Mrs. G. Saunders.

Laurinburg—Mrs. J. H. Dixon, with Mrs. R. E. Smith; Mrs. T. T. Covington, with Mrs. W. L. Beery; Miss Julia Stewart, with Mrs. John J. Fowle.

Leaksville—Miss Kathleen Walker, with Mrs. John J. Fowler; Mrs. J. W. Ivey, with Mrs. J. C. Munds.

Lenoir—Mrs. R. L. Gwynne and Miss Gertrude Hall, with C. M. Weathers.

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Reidsville—Mrs. E. F. Hall, Miss Annie Sloan, with Mrs. J. W. Murchison.

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Scotland Neck—Mrs. A. McDowell and Mrs. H. I. Clark, with Mrs. Horace Emerson.

Shelby—Miss Madge Webb, with Mrs. Quince Moore; Mrs. B. Thurman Falls and Mrs. Gardner, with Mrs. Junius Davis.

Smithfield—Mrs. Sanders, with Miss McQueen.

Salisbury—Mrs. Frank L. Robbins, with Mrs. W. G. Pulliam; Miss Eleanor Watson, with Mrs. Hicks Bunting.

Tarboro—Mrs. Thad. Thrash and Miss Emily Austin, with Mrs. L. H. Simmons; Mrs. E. D. Foxhall, with Mrs. George Rountree; Mrs. S. M. Harrell, with Mrs. James Sprunt.

Thomasville—Mrs. E. C. Strayhorne, with Mrs. J. C. Munds; Miss Peary Griffith, with Miss Bloodworth.

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Continental Currency.

Mr. D. F. Henry, No. 913 South Third street, this city, has in his possession a rare specimen of Continental currency in the form of a one dollar note, which bears the following inscription: "This bill entitles the bearer to receive one dollar or the value thereof in gold or silver, agreeable to an act of Assembly passed at Hillsborough the 8th day of August, 1778." In one corner is this legend: "Liberty and Peace the Reward of Virtue and Resistance." The bill was printed by James Davis in the colonies in 1778 and Mr. Henry says that he is able to furnish $1,000 of the currency in any denominations.

A GREAT STATE OCCASION

President Taft's Visit to Wilmington Promises to Be One of the Greatest Events in the History of North Carolina.

A long list of attractions have been arranged by the people of Wilmington to entertain President Taft and the thousands of visitors, who will join in welcoming him on the occasion of his visit to their city on Monday, November 9th.

The city will be gaily decorated and brilliantly illuminated, and the parade of National and State troops, with numerous brass bands, promises to be within itself a great event.

The marine parade on the Cape Fear river to and from Forts Caswell and Fisher, to accompany the United States revenue cutter "Seminole," with Mr. Taft and his party on board, will be composed of a convoy of a flotilla of four topedo boats and numerous excursion steamers, said to be adequate to carry all who wish to join the merry and hapy throng on this gala occasion.

Electric cars will make fast and frequent trips to the ocean. An added attraction at this particular season will be the opportunity to see the large ocean steamers loading cotton for Liverpool.

Hotel and boarding house facilities will be augmented by accommodations in many private homes. Accommodations can be secured in advance by addressing Hotel Committee, Taft Celebration.

The President will be accompanied by many prominent statesmen and other prominent citizens, including a number of leading correspondents, reporters and Photographers from the metropolitan newspapers and illustrated publications.

These, and many other attractive features, together with the best of all—the public reception to and speech by Mr. Taft, will be a history-making epoch in Wilmington, which extends a cordial welcome to all to come and have their names enrolled as a visitor and spectator in this historical event, of which many future generations will read with interest and pride.

The Atlantic Coast Line will run special trains on November 9th, the day the Presidential party will be in Wilmington, from Florence and Chadbourn, from Sanford and Fayetteville and From Newbern, the regular trains in one or more sections being designed to accommodate the visitors from Rocky Mount, Goldsboro, etc. The Atlantic Coast Line will place round trip tickets on sale at low rates from about 150 stations to Wilmington and return, to be sold November 8th and 9th, good to return up to and including November 10th, and will advertise the event extensively. They will also put on an exceedingly low rate for military companies.

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CIVIL DOCKET TAKEN UP

One Case Tried in Superior Court Yesterday—Judgment for Defendant—Continuances—Today's Calendar.

The civil term of New Hanover Superior court opened yesterday morning at 10 o'clock with Judge Oliver H. Allen presiding. Very little progress was made, only one case being tried during the day. Court took a recess at 3:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon until this morning at 10 o'clock. It is not thought that many cases of interest will be tried at this term.

Practically all of the morning session was taken up with the trial of a case entitled The Audit Company against J. A. Taylor. The plaintiff was suing for $413 alleged to be due for a system of bookkeeping installed in the office of the defendant by the plaintiff company. The defendant contended that the system was not according to representations made by the agents of the company prior to the signing of the contract. He contended further that the system was so unsatisfactory that he abandoned it and that he lost several hundred dollars in new books. The plaintiff company contended that the system was installed according to contract and the attorneys for the company read depositions from two of the agents in which they denied making any representations to the defedant which were not true.

The jury was out only a few minutes returning a verdict in favor of the defendant. No appeal to the Supreme Court will be taken by the plaintiff company, which was represented by Kellum & Loughlin, while George Rountree, Esq., appeared for the defendant.

By consent a judgment for dismissal was signed in the case of the Sumter Coffin Casket Mfg. Co., against Preston Cumming. Two cases were continued until the next term as follows: Masonic Temple Corporation against D. W. Bulluck; J. C. Stevenson Co., against A. C. L. R. R. Co. The afternoon session convened at 3 o'clock, but as there were no cases ready for trial a recess was taken until this morning.

J. O. Carr, Esq., yesterday morning brought to the attention of Judge Allen the fact that there are a number of cases on the docket that should be disposed of in some manner, and moved that a committee be appointed to investigate and make report as to the status of each case. The motion received a second from Woodus Kellum, Esq. Judge Allen appointed Mr. Carr, Cameron MacRae and Chas. C. Loughlin, Esqs., and requested that the committee go to work at once. A report may be made at this term of court.

The following are the cases set for trial today: Regina Company against M. L. Starkey; Regina Company against D. E. Costin; I. J. Sternberger against National Cash Register Co.; Hyman Supply Co., against Clear Run Lumber Co.

NOT GUILTY OF ABDUCTION.

Case Against Dave Piver, a White Man, Was Dismissed.

Dave Piver, a white man, was given a hearing before Justice George Harriss yesterday morning on the charge of abducting Mrs. M. L. Penny, mention of which was made in Sunday morning's paper. The evidence disclosed the fact that persuasion on the part of Piver was not necessary to induce the woman to accompany him on the carriage drive to Navassa Friday night, but instead the trip was of her own planning. The case was dismissed. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., represented the defendant. It was stated yesterday that when Piver was locked up early Saturday morning Mrs. Penny asked to be locked up with him, stating the she did not want to get a man in trouble and then leave him. It was also stated that she sent him his breakfast in jail Saturday morning.

REVIVAL AT BLADEN STREET

Rev. K. D. Holmes Assisting the Pastor Rev. W. E. Hocutt.

A revival began at Bladen Street Methodist Church Sunday and services will be held every night this week. The pastor, Rev. W. E. Hocutt, preached two strong and stirring sermons Sunday and great interest was manifested. Rev. K. D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist Church, preached last night and he was given close attention throughout the able discourse. At the conclusion of the sermon some 10 or 12 of the unconverted of the large congregation went forward and asked for prayer. Services tonight at 8 o'clock.

Tried on Charge of Larceny.

Late yesterday afternoon Julius Cowan, colored, was given a hearing before Justice George Harriss on the charge of stealing a number of small articles from the home of Lizzie Grady, colored, some time in June. It was charged that the negro entered the house about 1 o'clock in the morning and took the articles. At that time Cowan and the prosecutor were on very intimate terms, but since then have failed to get along so pleasantly. C. D. Weeks, Esq., appeared for the defendant. Justice Harriss reserved his decision until today. Cowan will be tried in the Recorder's court today on the charge of assaulting the Grady woman.

Repairing Dredge Boat.

The Government dredge Jacksonville has been removed to the marine yards of the Government to be overhauled. It will require some two weeks to make the necessary repairs. The dredge has recently been working about nine miles down the river and prior to that was near Fort Caswell. This is the first time the boat has been out of service in some time and the work of dredging the river has been carried on very actively.

A BUSY DOCTOR

is often delayed. Keep a bottle of GOWAN'S PREPARATION in the home and be prepared for pneumonia, croup, colds, coughs, grippe, pains and soreness in lungs and throat. External and gives quick relief. All druggists, 35c, 50c, $1.00.

DAUGHTERS OF CONFEDERACY.

Formal Welcome Tonight to Visitors to State Convention.

Several delegates to the State Convention of the North Carolina division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, which convenes in the Masonic Temple, this city, tomorrow for a three-days' session, have arrived, and each train to Wilmington today and tomorrow will have a number of Daughters aboard. A meeting will be held in the Commandery room of the Masonic Temple tonight at which the visitors will be formally welcomed and to which the public is cordially invited. It is hoped that there will be a large number of Wilmington people at the gathering tonight.

The welcome in behalf of the city will be extended by Mayor Walter G. MacRae and in behalf of the local chapter, U. D. C., by Mrs. Wm. Parsley. The response will be made by Mrs. I. W. Faison, of Charlotte, president of the organization. A feature of the meeting tonight will be the formal presentation of the Randolph Shotwell portrait, the address being made by Col. Walker Taylor in his inimitable manner. The response will be by some one yet to be selected The Acme Quartette will sing a number of patriotic songs and this will prove a strong feature of the gathering. The business sessions of the convention will be held as announced in The Star Sunday morning.

MISS MARY TIETGEN DEAD.

Passed Away at the Hospital Yesterday—Funeral Today.

Miss Mary M. G. Tietgen, of Greenville Sound, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital yesterday morning after an illness of several days. While her death was not altogether unexpected it came as a great shock to her many loved ones and friends. The remains were removed to the home of Mrs. Lietgen, on Second, between Princess and Market street, whence the funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock this morning, conducted by Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church. The interment will be in Bellevue cemetery. Miss Tietgen was 35 years old and was the daughter of Mr. Chas. Tietgen, of Greenville Sound. Besides her father she is survived by two uncles, Mr. H. Tietgen, of Greenville Sound, and Mr. Dick Tietgen, of Florida. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of a great many friends.

THE PAGE OF PRESIDENTS.

Interesting, Entertaining and Instructive—Elegant Watch Free.

The Morning Star will publish in a few days "The Page of Presidents." It will contain a correct short history picture and autograph of each president from George Washington to William Howard Taft. There will be an advertisement beside each president and there will be an intentional misspelled word in each advertisement to find, and two or three questions to answer about the presidents to get an elegant watch free. This page gives the enterprising merchants a down-to-date way of advertising. Thousands of those pages will be preserved for future reference. They have done this in other cities and likely will in Wilmington. Watch for the page and learn something about the presidents before Mr. Taft gets here.

The Theatre

The favorite college play "Strongheart," will be the offering at the Academy of Music tomorrow night and it promises to be witnessed by one of the largest houses of the season. Of the play and players Sunday's News and Observer says:

"A great college play is 'Strongheart', given at the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon and last night, and it delighted the audiences both by its scenic fittings and by the strong company which presented the play. Mrs. Burton L. King, as 'Strongheart,' was the strong central figure of the play, his presentation of the Indian being a fine one. Miss Bessie Wilkes, as 'Dorothy Nelson, was also most excellent, and Mr. Robert Lee Allen, as 'Billy Saunders,' was a hit. The company is a well-balanced one throughout, and the performance delighted. It is to be regretted that the play, one of the best of the season, was not witnessed by an audience of the size that its merits deserved."

Seats are now on sale at the Crystal Palace.

"Lion and the Mouse."

Next Saturday matinee and night the Academy will present "The Lion and the Mouse." Of a recent production in Raleigh the News and Observer said:

"'The Lion and the Mouse' was at the Academy last night, and this great play again charmed and delighted theatre-goers here. It is a play on strong lines that grips and holds, with its plot in which politics, finance and love each have a part.

"The costumes are of the present time, and of the best, while the scenic setting is elaborate and fitting, leaving nothing to be desired on either of these points. The presentation of the play was by a strong and well balanced company, each character having some part worthy to commend.

"Leading in the presentation was Mrs. Walter Edwards as "John Burkett Reder" and Miss Carolyn Elberts as "Shirley Rossmore." About these two the play focussed and their work was of the highest order. Especially enthusiastic was the audience over Miss Carolyn Elberts, her clear-cut and artistic rendition being a feature of the performance. Praise is also due to Mrs. Charles D. Pitt, as "Jefferson Ryder," Mr. George Sydenham as 'Hon. Fitzroy Bagley' and Mr. Charles H. Burbudge as 'Senator Roberts,' for the excellence with which they portrayed their characters.

"The Servant in the House."

Charles Rann Kennedy wrote a wonderful piece of dramtic literature when he produced "The Servant in the House," that magnificent symbolical play. The piece itself is one of the most remarkable productions ever staged, and created the widest kind of critical discussion at the time of its New York premier. Local patrons of the theatre will now have their opportunity to see this widely discussed play, for it is announced as a special attraction to be seen in this city on November 9th and 10th.

Band Benefit Week at the Crystal Palace gives promise of being the greatest week this popular vaudeville theatre has had this season, if the weather is only fair. Certainly it will be the biggest week from an artistic standpoint, because the bill which opened at the Palace yesterday afternoon is said to be without doubt the best of the season. The management has made a change of booking agency and a glorious start was made yesterday. Each act presented is really a topliner, so it is hard to draw a distinction as to the best. The bill is one of swell comedy and splendid novelty, which are the favorite elements for Palace-goers. Miss Florence Clarke, a good looking comedienne, does a fine singing and dancing act, Whitey Fields is the best comedy juggler ever on the boards at the Palace and Miss Georgia Nelson does an act that is charming, while Chinese Johnnie Williams & Co., present a sketch that is way away from the beaten path.

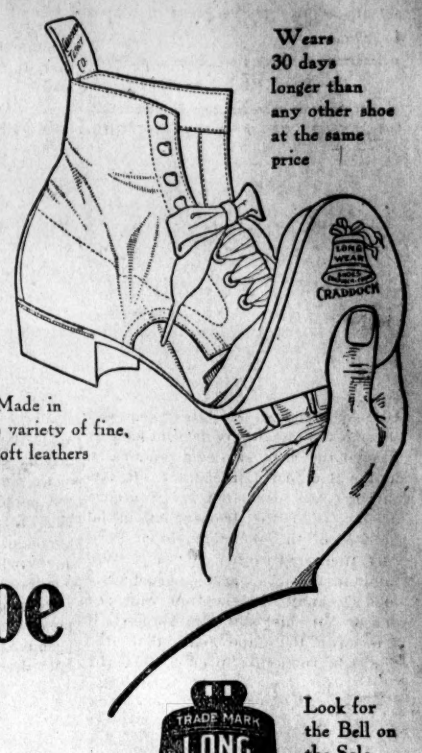
A big per cent. of this week's receipts goes to the Wilmington band and members of the band are helping out in no small way. Last night an augmented orchestra added to the pleasure of the occasion and will play again tonight.

At the Bijou Today.

"Getting Even" is the title of the feature picture that will be shown at the ever-popular Bijou today. But, the Kid of the Mining Camp, has the satisfying and pleasurable experience of "getting even" with those who held him up to ridicule before a jeering mob. It is an interesting picture and will doubtless be seen by large audiences.

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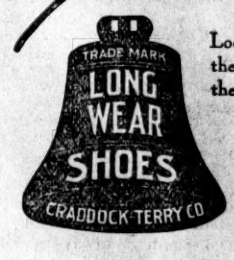


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IN SOCIETY

The Star will be pleased to receive items, such as engagements, weddings, parties, teas, and other news of personal interest, with the names of those present, for the "Society News" column. The items should be indorsed with the name and address of the sender—not for publication, but as a matter of good faith. State whether you prefer them to appear in the Sunday or daily issue.

Mrs. Ransey Weathersby has returned from a pleasant visit of ten days to relatives and friends in Atlanta and Augusta, Ga.

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Says the Baltimore Sun: Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Marburg and their family will reopen their home on Mount Vernon Place the end of October.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Brown, of Glasgow, Scotland, who have been spending some weeks in the city, guests at The Orton, left Sunday eevning for New York, returning to their home.

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Miss Marguerite Short has returned to Lake Waccamaw after an absence of several months abroad, and more recently at the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York city.

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Mr. Claud Murray has returned from a two weeks' vacation very pleasantly spent in New York attending the Hudson-Fulton celebration, other points of interest North and at his old home in Pender county.

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The many friends of Mr. F. W. Holden will be delighted to know that he is recovering from a six weeks' illness with typhoid fever. He is now able to be out and is being cordially received on the streets by his friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schnibben and two children, who have been traveling abroad since last May reached New York last week and arrived home Sunday night. They had a splendid and most enjoyable trip with stops at various places in Germany, among them Hamburg. Mr. and Mrs. Schnibben have relatives in that country. They are receiving a most pleasant welcome from many friends in the city upon their return.

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Friends of Mrs. H. C. Prince and daughter, Miss Sue Brent Prince, will be interested to learn that they are spending a short visit in New York City, where they will remain until the middle of the approaching week, returning to Wilmington about the 15th of this month. Later, Miss Prince will visit friends in Charlotte, the correspondence from that city having been in error in stating that she was expected to visit Charlotte shortly.

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Friends in this city have received handsomely engraved invitations bearing the following announcement:

Mr. and Mrs. Midas Manguni Moore
invite you to be present at the
marriage of their daughter
Mary
to
Mr. William D. Croom
Thursday evening, October the
twenty-first, nineteen hundred and
nine at six o'clock
Presbyterian Church
Burgaw, North Carolina.

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A special to The Baltimore Sun from Hot Springs, Va., says: "A gorgeous procession of gowns was on show in the dress parade along Peacock Alley for two hours after dinner this evening. Noticed at one of the tables in the Japanese room was Mrs. Alexander Brown entertaining a dozen guests, among whom were Mrs. J. R. Dilworth, Mrs. John F. Rogers, Mrs. William Allen and Mr. C. A. Conrad. Mrs. Pembroke Jones also entertained in nthe Japanese room, her guests including Miss Elizabeth Latimer, her mother, Mrs. W. J. Cotton, Miss E. Noble and Miss Sadie Jones."

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer says: "Mrs. I. W. Faison, State president United Daughters of the Confederacy; Mrs. Gordon M. Finger, corresponding secretary for the same organization, and the following delegates from Stonewall Jackson Chapter will leave tomorrow for Wilmington to attend the State meeting: Mesdames W. W. Watt, Laita C. Johnston, J. A. Fore, Harvey Overcash, E. L. Blackwelder, L. B. Newell; Misses Matt Dowd and Violet Alexander. They will return the latter part of the week. Some of them will then leave immediately for the general meeting in Houston, Tex."

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The State Normal and Industrial College has designated October 12th as Founders' Day, at which time appropriate exercises will be held in the college auditorium. The exercises will be in the nature of an appreciation of the life and work of Dr. Chas. D. McIver, the founder and first president of the college. The duties of citizenship and their opportunities for serving their State will be impressed on the college students. All branches of the Alumnae Association are requested to observe the day by some social gathering and to send greetings to the college. The college also expects to return greetings to alumnae associations.

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Capt. R. P. Johnston, who is most pleasantly remembered in Wilmington, where he was formerly in charge of the corps of United States Engineers in this district, is in the city to attend the marriage of Miss Sarah Forbes Williams and Mr. William Johnston, of Asheville, this evening in St. James Church. Captain Johnston is accompanied by his little daughter, Miss Mary Frances, and among other out-of-town guests who are expected are Mr. Harold Johnston, of Asheville; Mr. Richard Meares, of Marion, S. C.; Miss Fannie Hines Johnson, of Raleigh; Miss Ellen Chase, of Brokline, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Lynch, of Bolton, N. C.

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Montague, N. C., Oct. 11.—The bazaar given at Long Creek the past week for the benefit of St. Augustin Church, at Montague, was a great success and cleared $140. The contest proved a lively feature of the occasion. The sucessful contestants were Miss Mary Montague, who won the gold locket and chain; Miss Eloïs Stewart, of Washington, D. C., the silver spoon; Miss Christian Scott, the beautiful silk crocheted pillow top; Miss Loritto Montague, a lovely doll. The hall was very tastefully decorated with wild flowers, ferns and Japanese lanterns. Music was furnished by the Butler Band, of Burgaw. After midnight an oyster supper was served, complimentary to the guests.

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Maxton, Oct. 8.—The marriage here Tuesday at the Methodist parsonage of Mr. William C. Sawyer, of Elizabeth City, to Miss Maude Tyer, second daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Tyer, was of widespread interest. It was a home wedding on account of the feeble condition of the bride's mother, and only a few friends were present, beside the members of the family. Dr. Tyer, the father of the bride, performed the ceremony. After the marriage, the happy couple left on a Northern bridal tour and upon their return will make their home at Elizabeth City. The bride's friends are numerous and not limited to the State. There are few more popular ladies—a popularity based upon disposition and accomplishments. The groom is a member of the large mercantaile firm, the E. S. Chesson Company, of Elizabeth City. Aside from his excellent business ability and connections, his personal accomplishments and social qualities have made him one of the most popular residents of his city and a favorite among a wide acquaintance elsewhere. Add to this the general popularity of the eloquent father of the bride throughout the North Carolina conference, and it is not wonderful that the display of beautiful and, in many instances, magnificent, presents at the parsonage numbered over one hundred, while those sent direct to their future home at Elizabeth City, are yet unnumbered.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associated Charities will be held at the office of the Association this morning at 11 o'clock.

—Attention is called to the annual meeting of the Atlantic Yacht Club which will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce tonight at 8 o'clock.

—A meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., the first of the Fall, will be held at the Association this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A number of interesting matters will be discussed and a full attendance is urged.

—The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will hold its regular monthly meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the church parlors. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to be present.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were: Wm. Black, Andrew Burr, Charlotte; Miss Ina Poole, Raeford; G. H. Smith, Cronly; H. E. Wheeler, Charlotte; S. A. Smith, Bolton; L. J. Sloan, Wallace; Gordon Williams, Raleigh.

—Harrison Smith, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Piver on a warrant charging him with slandering Eliza Hartsfield, colored, wife of Rev. Harry Hartsfield pastor of David's Chapel Baptist Church. Smith gave bond for his appearance at trial at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon before Justice Bornemann.

—Deputy Sheriff A. T. Piver early Sunday morning arrested Ransom Gavin, colored, wanted in Duplin county for disposing of property upon which the Wallace Grocery Company held a mortgage. The negro was lodged in jail and the Duplin authorities communicated with. George Ward, Esq., counsel for the grocery company, came here yesterday and the matter was adjusted and the negro released from custody.

TURNED OUT LIGHTS, WAS SHOT.

John R. Utley Arrested for Shooting G. Herbert Swain.

Mr. John R. Utley, who conducts a near-beer saloon in the vicinity of Front and Castle streets, was arrested yesterday by Patrolman W. G. Brinkley on a warrant charging him with shooting Mr. G. Herbert Swain, a plumber, last Friday night. Mr. Utley was released on bond for his appearance at trial as soon as the wounded man is able to attend court. Mr. Utley stated at police headquarters yesterday that it was purely an accident.

It was stated that there were several persons in Mr. Utley's store late Friday night and that someone threatened to blow out the lights, when Utley, who is said to have had a pistol in his hands, remarked that he would shoot if such a course was pursued. It is stated that the lights were blown out and the pistol was exploded, the bullet entering the back of Mr. Swain's hip and ranging toward the front, lodging just under the skin. Mr. Swain was taken into a nearby drug store, where he was given attention, being attended by Dr. Morris Caldwell. Several persons in the neighborhood were awakened by the pistol shot, but efforts at the time to learn anything about the shooting proved futile. Very little was said about it until the arrest yesterday of Mr. Utley, and not much then.

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TAFT COMMITTEE AT WORK

Began Yesterday Canvass of City For Subscriptions For Taft Day Celebration—$1,650 Secured First Day.

The finance committee of the Taft celebration, of which Col. Walker Taylor is chairman, began yesterday a canvass of the city for subscriptions to supplement the fund for providing suitable entertainment for the President and his party and for incidental expenses of the day, and as the result of one day's work $1,650 was subscribed. It is hoped to raise about $3,500 in this way and the members of the committee will continue the canvass of the city until every business man and merchant has had an opportunity to contribute something. Those who were approached yesterday responded very readily and liberally, as will be seen from the subscriptions below, and the committee thinks that the entire amount desired will be secured within a few days.

Those who subscribed yesterday and the amounts are: Alexander Sprunt & Son, $250; Navassa Guano Co., $100; Independent Ice Co., $100; T. E. Wallace, $50; C. W. Polvogt Co., $50; J. W. Murchison & Co., $50; B. F. Keith, $50; W. E. Springer & Co., $50; Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., $50; Hall & Pearsall, $50; The Worth Co., $50; J. A. Taylor, $50; M. Bear & Bros., $50; Geo. R. French & Sons, $50; J. H. Hinton, $50; J. G. L. Gieschen, $50; Wm. Gilchrist, $50; John D. Bellamy, $25; Z. W. Whitehead, $25; S. P. McNair, $25; Chas. Anderson, $25; W. G. MacRae, $25; Southern Hotel, $25; C. W. Yates & Co., $25; J. C. Stevenson Co., $25; Carolina Insurance Co., $25; J. W. Brooks, $25; Jacobi Hardware Co., $25; Gerken Tobacco Co., $25; M. S. Willard, $25; Junction Restaurant, $25; Hyman Supply Co., $25; C. C. Covington Co., $25; Standard Supply Co., $25; Calder Bros., $25; Sol Bear & Co., $25; Struthers Cigar Store, $25.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. H. Pyke, of Southport, was in the city last night, a guest at The Orton.

—Lieut. R. O. Edwards and mother, of Fort Caswell, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Among Sunday's arrivals at The Orton were B. B. Anderson, Tabor; J. C. Mayo, Washington; T. C. Clute, Chadbourn; H. L. Lyon, E. M. Toon and David J. Lewis, of Whiteville.

—Among the guests at The Southern yesterday were: J. B. Melvin, Rocky Mount; C. H. Izbell, Currie; D. J. McDonald, Fayetteville; Fred Lesh, Southport; W. C. Caison, Parkersburg.

—Judge J. A. Erwin, pastor of Dock Street Christian Church, left Sunday for Pittsburg, Pa., where he will attend the centennial convention of the Christian Church. He will be away for ten days.

—Rev. William Black, the well known Presbyterian Synodical evangelist, and his singer, Mr. Burr, spent a short while in Wilmington yesterday passing through from Southport, where they conducted a most successful series of meetings.

—Mr. E. Eberhardt, a former popular young Wilmingtonian, now located at Darlington, S. C., spent Sunday in the city and was pleasantly greeted by many friends. He came up to attend a meeting of the White Knights, of which he was formerly Chief Ranger.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at the Colonial Inn were J. E. Johnson, Fair Bluff; R. F. DeVane, Red Springs; Horace Pearsall, Burgaw; W. F. Murphy, Wallace; Robt. St. George, Southport; B. J. Powell, Whiteville; Archibald Johnson, Thomasville; W. N. Gibson, McColl, S. C.

FUNERAL OF MR. MOHR.

Services Held From Late Residence Sunday Afternoon.

The funeral services of Mr. John N. Mohr, well known and popular member of the Wilmington Fire Department, foreman of Company No. 1, mention of whose sudden death was made in Sunday's paper, were held from the late residence, 507 North Seventh street, Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. There were present many relatives and friends, and the many floral designs attested in a measure to the popularity of the deceased fireman. Members of the Wilmington Fire Department attended the services in a body. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers, selected from the associates of the deceased in the Fire Departmnt, were as follows: Messrs. P. N. Fick, John Thomas, G. G. Smith, T. B. Jackson, Ludwig Freimuth and W. A. Canady.

"DAY OF PRAYER."

Will be Observed by Woman's Missionary Union Tomorrow.

The "Day of Prayer" to be observed tomorrow by the Woman's Missionary Union of Wilmington Presbytery with the Missionary societies of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, this city, promises to be largely attended and a season of deep spirituality. The morning hours will be for the ladies only but in the afternoon there will be a mixed meeting to which all are invited. A feature of this latter service will be an address by Rev. Mr. Pate, a returned missionary, who will give an interesting and helpful discussion of the missionary needs of the age. The ladies of St. Andrew's cordially invite the women of all the churches in the city to join with them in this "Day of Prayer."

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.* A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Monthly Meeting Last Night—Increased Enrollment in Rural Schools. Additions to Two Buildings. Other Matters.

The regular monthly meeting of the New Hanover County Board of Education was held in the office of Superintendent Washington Catlett in the Court House last night with J. O. Carr, Esq., chairman, presiding, and Mr. W. H. Sprunt and Capt. John Hanby in attendance. Mr. H. McL. Green, county treasurer, was present and his books were audited. The board was in session for two hours and a half, adjournment being taken at 10:30.

One of the most interesting as well as pleasing features of the meeting was the report of Professor Catlett regarding the opening of the rural schools. The enrollment in the white schools last year at the opening of the Fall term was about 475, while this year there are over 500 enrolled. The average attendance is also considerably better than last year. Much of the increased interest in education in this county is attributable to the special school tax campaign during the Summer.

The board authorized the building of an annex to the Wrightsville school, in district No. 5, for whites, the present school building being entirely inadequate to take care of the large number of pupils. The annex will cost in the neighborhood of $400. An annex to the colored school at Acorn Branch, in district No. 6, to cost about $350, was also authorized. The work of enlarging the school buildings will be done under the supervision of Captain Hanby. The trustees in district No. 14, Greenville, were authorized to employ an additional teacher. It is understood that Miss Jane Ketchum will be selected for the place.

The question of providing pure drinking water, which has been troubling the board for many years, was discussed at length. It was decided to sink a well at Wrightsville similar to the one at the City Hall as an experiment. If good water is secured and the cost is not too great wells will be sunk at each of the schools in the county.

Various other matters pertaining to the advancement of the cause of education in the county were discussed by the board.

MR. P. D. PRICE DEAD

Father of Mrs. Percy R. Albright Passes Away in This City.

Friends of Mrs. Percy Albright and other members of the bereaved family will tenderly sympathize with them in the death of Mr. P. D. Price, the venerable father of Mrs. Albright, which occurred at 4:10 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, No. 114 South Third street, after an illness of some weeks. Mr. Price was in the 73rd year of his age and some time ago suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he had never fully recovered. Recently his health had been very poor and he came to Wilmington a few weeks ago to visit his daughter at the beach and in the city with the hope that the change would be beneficial to him. He did not improve, however, and only a few days ago Mrs. Price was summoned to his bedside and was with him when the end came.

Mr. Price was a leading citizen of Madison, N. C., for many years but for some time past had resided and done business in Greensboro, N. C., in both of which places he was held in the very highest esteem by a large circle of acquaintances. He was a man of fine attainments and of splendid executive ability. His death will be learned of with great sorrow in the State where he was well and favorably known.

Mr. Price is survived by the grief-stricken widow and one daughter, Mrs. Albright, there being no other members of the immediate family. After a short funeral service from the residence at 6 o'clock this evening, conducted by the Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector of St. James, and Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, the remains will be taken on the 7 o'clock northbound train to Greensboro where the funeral services will be concluded tomorrow.

OFF SEASON FOR FISH.

Local Dealers Unable to Supply the Increasing Demand.

Conditions during the past two months have been most unfavorable for mullets and local dealers consider it an off season for fish, compared with the "fisherman's luck" during the Fall of last year. The dealers have been unable to supply the trade and during last week could have easily handled a few thousand more bunches for out-of-town orders. Prevailing northeast winds have materially hindered the fishermen this season.

Reports have been received from Stump Sound, between Wilmington and Little River, S. C., that the oysters there are plentiful and are of good size. Many years ago this sound principally supplied the trade and it is learned with interest by the dealers that the bivalves are plentiful there. New River oysters have been coming on the market rather slow this season.

Real Estate Transfers.

Two deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: F. M. Pridgen and wife to W. J. Hutaff, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side of Seventh, 32 1-2 feet north of Grace street, 32 1-2x75 foot in size; Col. Wm. F. Robertson and wife to Anson Alligood and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on north side of Princess, 99 feet west of Fifth street, 49x66 feet in size.

Four Steamers For Cotton.

With the arrival yesterday of the British steamer Nanette, Capt. Hunter, from New York, there are four steamers in port to receive cotton for foreign export. Three more are expected within the next few days. The receipts of cotton at the port for the past few days have been unusually good and the steamers in port will likely receive cargoes this week.

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WILMINGTON ASSOCIATION

Baptists of Three Counties Gather Today at Atkinson—Three Days' Session—A Number From Wilmington—Program.

Baptists from three counties, New Hanover, Onslow and Pender, will gather today at Atkinson, on the A. & Y. railroad, 22 miles from Wilmington, the occasion being the meeting of the Wilmington Association. A large number of delegates from the Wilmington churches will leave on the train this morning to attend the meeting.

The officers of the association are: Moderator, G. E. Leftwich, of Wilmington; vice moderator, Rev. G. A. Martin, of Wilmington; secretary, C. E. McCullen, of Burgaw; treasurer, L. R. Highsmith, Harrell's Store. The following compose the executive committee: G. E. Leftwich, chairman; D. L. Gore, G. A. Martin, D. J. Corbett, Sr., R. P. Hinton and W. H. Lewis. Among those who will attend from Wilmington are Rev. and Mrs. C. F. Whitlock, D. L. Gore, Liston Larkins, C. C. Rice, from Brooklyn Baptist Church; Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist Church; Rev. G. A. Martin, pastor of Southside Baptist Church, and others.

There are 32 churches in the Association, representing a membership of about 3,000. Two new churches were organized during the past year, one at Watha and the other at Wrightsboro.

The programme will open this morning at 11 o'clock with an introductory sermon by Rev. W. L. Britt, following which there will be organization up to 12:30 o'clock when an adjournment will be taken for dinner. The afternoon session will open at 2:30 P. M. with the appointment of committees. From 2:30 to 3:30 Mr. J. T. Bland will speak on Periodicals and Religious Literature. From 11 to 12 o'clock State Missions and Sunday Schools will be discussed by Revs. W. B. Rivenbark and J. A. Smith, and from 4 o'clock to the adjournment miscallaneous business will be transacted. At the evening service Rev. O. P. Weeks will deliver a missionary sermon and this will be followed by a consideration of the interests of Meredith College.

Wednesday from 9:30 to 10 o'clock devotional services will be held with the hour from 10 to 11 o'clock devoted to the orphanage, Rev. C. F. Whitlock leading the discussion. From 3:30 to 4 o'clock Rev. J. D. Hocutt will discuss ministerial Relief. At the afternoon session from 2 to 3 o'clock Rev. J. H. Foster will discuss Foreign Mission and the remainder of the afternoon will be given to a discussion of the report of the Executive Committee. At the evening session of the same day Home Missions will be discussed by Rev. G. A. Martin and Associational Histories and obituaries by Rev. O. P. Meeks.

Thursday afternoon devotional exercises from 9:30 to 10 o'clock, Woman's Work will be discussed from 10 to 11 o'clock by Mrs. G. A. Martin, Mrs. C. E. Burtt and Mrs. Dr. Carroll. From 11 to 12 o'clock Wake Forest College and General Education will be considered, the discussion being led by Rev. W. L. Britt. From 12 to 1:30 o'clock Temperance will be discussed by Rev. Mr. DeLoatch. The afternoon session will be devoted to Ministerial Education and Secondary Schools, Rev. A. C. Chaffin leading the discussion. At 3:30 there will be a digest of the Church Letters by Mr. H. G. Fennell, of this city. At 4 o'clock resolutions and adjournment will be the order.

The programme is published in full in this week's issue of the Wilmington Baptist, published in Wilmington.

W. L. I. BENEFIT.

"The Merchant of Venice" at Opera House October 18th.

It was announced last night that tickets for the W. L. I. benefit performance at the Academy of Music, October 18th, when "The Merchant of Venice" will be presented, will go on sale today. Exchanged tickets will be sold by the members of the W. L. I., and when the box sheet opens the holders can have the seats reserved. The play will be presented by a professional troupe with Mr. Edouard D'Oize as the star. It is expected that one of the largest audiences of the season will witness the performance.

Annual Meeting L'Arioso Club.

The annual meeting of the members of the L'Arioso Club was held in the Masonic Temple last night with a large attendance. A number of routine matters were transacted and officers for the year were elected as follows: President S. M. Boatwright; vice president, Major E. W. VanC. Lucas; secretary and treasurer, Milton Calder; leader R. E. Calder. The following were named as the governing board: Messrs. C. McD. Davis, Thomas H. Wright, E. P. Bailey and Graham Kenan.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 11.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 58 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.50 per barrel.

TAR—Firm $1.80 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm $2.50 per barrel for hard; $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50, $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	15
Rosin	86
Tar	52
Crude Turpentine	50

Received same day last year 50 casks spirits turpentine; 212 barrels rosin; 52 barrels tar; 89 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 12 7-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Quiet, 8 3-4 cents.

Receipts—1,575 bales, same day last year 6,131.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith Oct. 9th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand: hams 17@18c; shoulders 14@15c; sides 14@15c.

EGGS—Dull, 25 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 20c to 30c; grown 35 to 42 1-2c; scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 15c; green, 10c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 50@55c per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50 cents per head.

PORK—Small 10c per lb.; large, no demand.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00

TURKEYS—12 1-2 to 13c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Oct. 11.—An early decline was followed by an increasingly active and decidedly firmer cotton market today owing to reports that the gulf storm had reached the coast of Florida and was threatening the Atlantic belt with disturbances of considerable severity. The close was a little off from the best under realizing but steady in tone and 2 to 11 points net higher. The opening was steady at a decline of 1 to 6 points and during the first hour prices sold off to a net loss of 7 to 9 points on liquidation for over the holiday tomorrow and the bear pressure gave encouragement, higher temperatures in the South and the failure of weather reports to show any frost of consequence over Sunday. Cables were indifferent and Liverpool was a seller here, but while the storm situation seemed to be ignored at first, rumors of easier Southern spots were not confirmed, and later numerous private wires regarding the course of the tropical storm started covering by early sellers and fresh buying for long account. The market at New Orleans and Liverpool will be open as usual tomorrow and recent sellers evidently feared that if the storm actually reached the cotton country those markets would be decidedly higher before the local opening on Wednesday morning. At any rate December contracts advanced from 13.21 to 13.29, while March sold up from 13.30 to 13.48 with the general list showing a net advance of 8 to 11 points during the afternoon. December closed at 13.32 and March at 13.42 bid. Southern spot markets officially reported early were generally unchanged. The advance during the afternoon was promoted by the heavy exports, more cotton leaving the ports than was received for the day. There were no fresh developments with reference to proposed curtailment among manufacturers and local traders in raw cotton seem to be little impressed by the prospects for organized short time.

Receipts at the ports today 69,168 bales against 59,297 last week and 57,176 last year; for the week 375,000 bales against 417,883 last week and 372,811 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 8,694 bales against 9,244 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 5 points higher; middling uplands 13.65; middling gulf 13.90; sales 4,400 bales. Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close
October	13.20	13.24
November	——	13.22
December	13.25	13.32
January	——	13.34
February	——	13.36
March	13.32	13.42
April	——	13.43
May	13.37	13.46
June	13.33	13.40
July	13.32	13.41
August	——	13.15
September	——	12.36

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 13 1-4; net receipts 22,656; stock 180,190.

New Orleans—Steady, 13 1-8; net receipts 8,694; stock 82,157.

Mobile—Net receipts 3,434; stock 32,144.

Savannah—Firm, 12 15-16; net receipts 19,571; stock 157,628.

Charleston—Firm, 12 7-8; net receipts 3,823; stock 31,125.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12 7-8; net receipts 4,575; stock 21,178.

Norfolk—Steady, 13 1-8; net receipts 6,093; stock 24,706.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13 3-8; stock 3,111.

New York—Quiet, 13.65; stock 62,293.

Boston—Quiet, 13.65.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.90; stock 3,435.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 322.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 137,737; Great Britain 30,789; France 27,167; Continent 33,952.

Total since Sept. 1st, at all ports, net receipts 1,634,327; Great Britain 366,694; France 212,380; Continent 484,703; Japan 4,023; Mexico 3,497.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13 1-4; net receipts 26,738; stock 68,893.

Augusta—Steady, 13 1-16; net receipts 4,349; stock 12,914.

Memphis—Steady, 13 1-4; net receipts 1,135; stock 71,287.

St. Louis—Steady, 13 3-8; net receipts 394; stock 11,130.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 75; stock 9,557.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12 7-8; net receipts 1,469; stock 16,127.

Louisville—Quiet, 13 1-2.

Total today—Net receipts 34,778; gross receipts 48,133; shipments 32,280; sales 4,647; stock 225,908.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 69,168; Great Britain 22,423; France 27,167; Continent 21,893; stock 597,964.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, Oct. 11.—Cotton: Spot in fair demand; prices 2 points higher. American middling fair 7.66; good middling 7.42; middling 7.26; low middling 7.14; good ordinary 6.88; ordinary 6.63.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 7,300 American. Receipts 6,000 bales, including 5,900 American. Futures opened quiet and closed quiet. October 7.02 1-2; October and November 6.97 1-2; November and December 6.95 1-2; December and January 6.95 1-2; January and February 6.95 1-2; February and March 6.95; March and April 6.95; April and May 6.95; May and June 6.95; June and July 6.95; July and August 6.92; August and September 6.90; September and October 6.40; October and November 6.26.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Oct. 11.—The dry goods markets were firm for the day. More trade is reported in dress goods. Cotton goods are very firm and show a further advancing tendency. There has been considerable buying on the part of jobbers and converters for nearby and future delivery, the latter being checked to a great extent by the unwillingness of mills to enter long contracts at current prices.

MARKET GOSSIP.

New York, Oct. 11.—The liquidating character of the stock market emerged more clearly into view today and was recognized with less qualification on the part of the element in the speculation which has been loath to admit the necessities involved in the money situation.

The banks called loans freely. The withdrawals of cash from New York for currency purposes also continued large. The perpendicular uplift of 1 per cent. to 5 per cent. in the official discount rate of the Imperial Bank of Germany was an emphatic notice of a determination to oppose obstacles to further free lending for speculative purposes. Further recourse by borrowing in foreign money markets is impeded by the large obligations already outstanding there against the New York money market. The large excess of production over consumption of copper in September revealed by the monthly statistics of the copper producers association was an additional weight on the market but was almost alone in showing any deviation from the favorable advices of business conditions. The hitch over this country's diplomatic representation in China was viewed with some disquiet. Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, were $2,760,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales of stocks today were 1,144,700 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Oct. 11.—Money on call strong 4 1-2 to 5 per cent., ruling rate 4 3-4; closing bid 4 3-4; offered at 4.3-4. Time loans very strong; sixty days 4 1-2 to 4 3-4 per cent., and ninety days 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Six months 4 1-2 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.83 to 4.8310 for sixty day bills and at 4.8585 for demand. commercial bills 4.83 1-2 to 4.83 3-4. Bar silver 51 1-4. Mexican dollars 43.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. ref 2s reg.	100 5-8
U. S. ref 2s cou.	100 5-8
U. S. 3s reg.	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou.	101 1-2
U. S. 4s reg.	116 1-2
U. S. 4s cou.	117 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s.	84
Amr. Agricultural 5s.	102
Amr. Tel. & Tel. cv 4s.	105 3-4
Amr. Tobacco 4s.	80 1-4
Amr. Tobacco 6s.	111
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s.	93 1-4
Atchison gen 4s.	100 1-4
Atchison cv 4s.	118 3-4
Atchison cv 5s.	119
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s.	95 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s.	99 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s.	92
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s.	80 3-4
Brooklyn Transic cv 4s.	87
Central of Georgia 5s.	109 7-8
Central Leather 5s.	99 7-8
Central of N. J. gen 5s.	126
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s.	103 3-4
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 5s.	104 3-4
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s.	76
C. B. & Q. joint 4s.	97
C. B. & Q. gen 4s.	99
Chi. Mil. & St. P. gen 3 1-2s.	88 1-2
C., R. I. & Pac. col 4s.	96 1-2
C., R. I. & Pac. col 5s.	92 1-4
C., R. I. & Pac. rfg 4s.	90 3-8
Colorado Industrial 5s.	83
Colorado Midland 4s.	81 1-4
Colo. & Sou. ref & ext 4 1-2s.	97 3-4
Delaware & Hudson cv 4s.	102 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande 4s.	96 1-2
Denver & Rio G. ref 5s.	94 3-8
Distillers 5s	75
Erie prior lien 4s.	87
Erie Gen. 4s.	75 1-2
Erie cv 4s series 'A'.	81
Erie cv 4s series 'B'.	73 1-8
General Electric cv 5s.	153
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s.	99 1-2
Interborough Met. 4 1-2s.	82 7-8
Inter. Merc. Marine 4 1-2s.	70 7-8
Japan 4s	87
Japan 4 1-2s.	94
Kansas City Sou. 1st 3s.	73 1-2
Lake Shore deb 4s (1931).	94 3-4
Louisville & Nashville Un. 4s.	99 1-4
Mo. Kan. & Tex. 1st 4s.	100
Mo., Kan. & Tex. gen 4 1-2s.	90 3-8
Missouri Pacific 4s.	80 1-2
Nat. Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s.	94 1-4
N. Y. Central gen 3 1-2s.	91 1-4
N. Y. Central deb 4s.	95 3-4
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv 6s.	142 1-4
Norfolk & Western 1st cou 4s.	99
Norfolk & Western cv 4s.	102 3-4
Northern Pacific 4s.	101 3-4
Northern Pacific 3s.	72 3-4
Ore. Short Line rfdg 4s.	93 7-8
Penn. Con. 3 1-2s (1915).	97 7-8
Penn. Con. 4s.	104 1-4
Reading Gen. 4s.	99 3-8
St. L. & San Fran. fg 4s.	84 1-2
St. L. & San Fran. gen 5s.	89
St. L. Southwestern con 4s.	77 3-4
St. L. S'western 1st gold 4s.	94
Seaboard Air Line 4s offd.	90
Southern Pacific col 4s.	91 3-4
Southern Pacific cv 4s.	102 7-8
Southern Pacific 1st ref 4s.	94 5-8
Southern Railway 5s.	109 1-2
Southern Railway gen 4s.	80
Union Pacific 4s.	102 3-4
Union Pacific cv 4s.	115 1-2
Union Pacific 1st & ref 4s.	97 3-4
U. S. Rubber 6s.	105
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.	105 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical 5s.	98
Wabash 1st 5s.	112 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext 4s.	72 1-2
Western Md., 4s offd.	85
Westinghouse Electric cv 5s.	94 3-4
Wisconsin Central 4s.	94 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Allis Chalmers pfd.	51 1-2
Amalgamated Copper	79 3-8
Amr. Agricultural	45
Amr. Beet Sugar.	47 3-8
Amr. Can pfd.	81
Amr. Car & Foundry.	68 3-4
Amr. Cotton Oil.	73 5-8
Amr. Hide & Leather pfd.	47 1-4
Amr. Ice Securities.	24 3-4
Amr. Linseed	15 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	57 3-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref.	95 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd.	111 1-4
Amr. Sugar Ref.	130 1-8
Amr. Tel. & Tel.	141 3-4
Amr. Tobacco pfd.	99
Amr. Woolen	38 1-8
Anaconda Mining Co.	46
Atchison	120 1-4
Atchison pfd	104
Atlantic Coast Line.	133
Baltimore & Ohio.	116
Baltimore & Ohio pfd.	94 1-2
Bethlehem Steel	33
Brooklyn Rapid Transit.	77 3-4
Canadian Pacific	184 3-8
Central Leather	48 1-4
Central Leather pfd.	109
Central of New Jersey.	310
Chesapeake & Ohio.	87 1-8
Chicago & Alton.	66
Chicago Great Western.	13 5-8
Chicago & Northwestern.	188
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	157
C. C. C. & St. Louis.	47 1-2
Colorado Fuel & Iron.	44
Colorado & Southern.	52 1-2
Colo. & Southern 1st pfd.	78 3-4
Colo. & Southern 2nd pfd.	78 1-4
Consolidated Gas	142 1-2
Corn Products	21 3-4
Delaware & Hudson.	186 3-4
Denver & Rio Grande.	44 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande pfd.	83 1-2
Distillers' Securities	35 1-8
Erie	33 7-8
Erie 1st pfd.	48 5-8
Erie 2nd pfd.	40
General Electric	162 1-2
Great Northern pfd.	149 5-8
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	78 7-8
Illinois Central	149
Interborough Met.	15 3-8
Interborough Met. pfd.	47 1-2
Inter Harvester	94
Inter Marine pfd.	23
International Paper	16 1-2
International Pump	47 1-4
Iowa Central	28 3-4
Kansas City Southern.	43 5-8
Kansas City Southern pfd.	70 3-8
Louisville & Nashville.	149
Minneapolis & St. Louis.	53 1-2
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	138
Missouri Pacific	67 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas.	44 3-8
Mo., Kansas & Texas pfd.	75 7-8
National Biscuit	114 1-2
National Lead	86 5-8
Nat. Rys. of Mexico 1st pfd.	55
N. Y. Central	135
N. Y., Ontario & Western.	46 1-2
Norfolk & Western.	95 1-4
North American	77
Northern Pacific	150
Pacific Mail	34 7-8
Pennsylvania	146
People's Gas	114 5-8
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis.	94
Pressed Steel Car.	45 1-2
Pullman Palace Car.	189 1-4
Railway Steel Spring.	46 1-8
Reading	161
Republic Steel	45 1-4
Republic Steel pfd.	105
Rock Island Co.	36
Rock Island Co. pfd.	72 1-2
St. L. & San Fran. 2nd pfd.	55 1-2
St. Louis Southwestern.	28 1-4
St. L. Southwestern pfd.	67 3-4
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron.	90 3-4
Southern Pacific	28
Southern Railway	29
Southern Railway pfd.	68
Tennessee Copper	33 3-4
Texas & Pacific	34 1-2
Toledo, St. Louis & West.	50
Toledo, St. L. & West. pfd.	67 3-4
Union Pacific	201 7-8
Union Pacific pfd.	104 1-8
U. S. Realty.	82 3-8
U. S. Rubber.	48 1-4
U. S. Steel.	86 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd.	127
Utah Copper	47
Va. Car. Chemical.	45
Wabash	18 1-2
Wabash pfd	47 1-8
Western Maryland	21
Western Union	76 1-4
Wheeling & Lake Erie.	9
Wisconsin Central	53

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Oct. 11.—Flour in moderate demand with prices nominally higher.

Rye Flour—Firm.

CornMeal—Barely steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 1.20 sales domestic elevator. No. 2 red nominal fob afloat. Options 3-4 to 7-8c above Saturday. December 1.10 3-8; May 1.11.

Corn—Spot barely steady; No. 2, 69; domestic elevator. Options net unchanged. December 70.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed 42 1-2 to 43.

Lard—Steady.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.73 1-2 to 3.75.

Butter—Steady; creamery specials 31 to 31 1-2; extras 30 to 30 1-2; third to firsts 25 1-2 to 29; process 25 to 27; western factory 23 to 24 1-2 imitation creamery 25 to 26.

Cheese—Firm; state full, cream, specials 15 1-2 to 16 1-2; do fancy 15 1-4; do common to good 11 1-2 to 14 3-4; skims full to special 5 1-4 to 13 1-4

Eggs—Firm; state, Pennsylvania and nearby white, hennery, fancy 36 to 40; do gathered 28 to 35; do brown, fancy, hennery 32 to 35; do gathered 26 to 30.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7 7 5-8 to 7 3-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4 to 9 3-4. Mild firm; Cordova 9 to 11 1-2. Futures closed at a net decline of 5 points.

Cotton Seed Oil was firm and higher on scarcity of crude offerings, outside speculative buying of late positions, covering of shorts and bull support. Sales aggregated 5,800 bales. October 6.30 to 6.36; December 6.41 to 6.42; January 6.39 to 6.40; May 6.63 to 6.65; prime crude 5.27 to 5.33; do summer yellow 6.30 to 6.40; do white 6.45 to 6.65; do winter yellow 6.50 to 6.99.

Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 12c; grain by steam 1 1-2

Peanuts—Steady, fancy handpicked 4 1-2 to 5; Virginia shelled Nos. 1 and 2, 2 1-4 to 6.

Potatoes—Irregular Maine per bag 1.00 to 1.85; state, per barrel 1.75 to 2.00; Long Island 2.25 to 2.50; Jersey 1.75 to 2.15; Southern sweets per barrel 1.25 to 1.75; Jersey do 1.50 to 2.00. Cabbages—Steady 1.50 to 3.50 per 100.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 11.—Butter firm 40 cents; sales 687,500.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Oct. 11.—Wheat advanced sharply on the board of trade, May leading with a net gain over Saturday of 1 1-8 to 1 1-4c. Corn, oats and provisions were featureless affairs, prices holding close to Saturday's level. At the opening cables furnished the strengthening factor in wheat. Closing prices were firm and near the best of the day.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
Dec.	1 02	1 03 3-8	1 03 1-4
May	1 03 7-8	1 04 5-8	1 04 1-2
Corn—			
Oct.			59 1-4
Dec.	58	58 1-8	58
May	60 5-8	60 3-4	60 5-8
July	60 1-8	60 7-8	60
Oats—			
Dec.	49 1-4	39 3-8	39 1-4
May	41 3-4	41 7-8	41 7-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
Oct.			23 00
Jan.	18 55	18 55	18 52 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Oct.	12 15	12 15	12 10
Nov.	11 77 1-2	11 77 1-2	11 77 1-2
Jan.	10 85	10 87 1-2	10 87 1-2
Short Ribs per 100 lbs.			
Oct.	11 27 1-2	11 27 1-2	11 25
Jan.	9 72 1-2	9 75	9 70
May	9 72 1-2	9 72 1-2	9 70

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Oct. 11.—Turpentine steady. Rosin steady.

Charleston, Oct. 11.—Turpentine firm 59. Rosin firm; quote: A B C 3.90; D. 3.95; E, 4.00; F. 4.15; G. 4.25; H. 4.35; I, 4.65; K. 5.55; M, 5.60; N, 5.90; WG, 6.50; WW, 6.75.

Savannah, Oct 11.—Turpentine, 58 bid; 59 asked; receipts 488; shipments 2,126. Rosin firm; sales 960; receipts 1,625; shipments 5,687; stock 139,373. Quote: B. 4.00; D. 4.05; E. 4.25; F. 4.25; G. 4.35; H. 4.35; I, 4.65; K. 5.50 to 5.55; M, 5.60; N, 5.90; WG, 6.50; WW, 6.75.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Br. str. Nanette, 1,369 tons, Hunter, New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. A. Munn.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—704 bales cotton; 2 barrels tarfll 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—2,752 bales cotton; 20 barrels tar; 36 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—1,027 bales cotton; 6 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—76 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 22 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—4 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Addie May—16 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 37 barrels rosin; 6 barrels tar.

Schr. J. D. Picket—25 barrels rosin.

Total—4,575 bales cotton; 15 casks spirits turpentine; 86 barrels rosin; 52 barrels tar; 71 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Str. Nanette (Br.) 1,368 tons, Hunter, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Hillglen (Br.) 2,773 tons, Wanning, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Geo. Fleming, (Br.) 2,228 tons, Greenhill, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Taistlemore (Br.) 2,579 tons, Yeo, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Maffitt.

Edith H. Symington, 881 tons, Stiles, C. D. Maffitt.

Wm. Thomas Moore, 261 tons, Bell, C. D. Maffitt.

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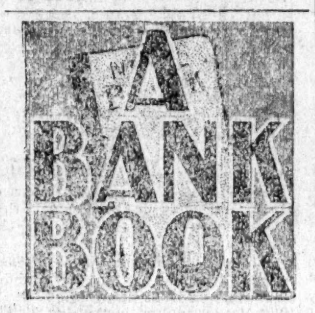
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BANKRUPTCY SALE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the matter of Stephens Construction Company, Bankrupts. In Bankruptcy. Pursuant to an order by the court, made in the above entitled case, the undersigned, trustee, will offer for sale for cash, at the Court House door, of New Hanover county in the City of Wilmington, at 12 o'clock M., on Monday, October 24th, 1909, subject to the lien of a mortgage to A. M. Prince, the following described property, to-wit: the entire saw-mill and planing machinery and office fixtures situate in a certain building in the City of Wilmington, N. C., known as No. 214 South Front street, and described as follows: One Fox Trimmer machine No. 819; one Fox mitre machine; one sash sticker; one power mitre machine; one small emory grinder for chain master; one shaper; one band saw; two upright borers; one jig saw; one iron bench vice, one iron bench mitre; one iron bench vice; one arm sander; one single tenoner; one buzz plainer; one emory stand; one Greenleaf sash and door polisher; one iron sash clamp; one iron door clamp; one diagonal plainer; one double end tenoner; one door sticker; one blind rabbiter and borer; one blind boring machine; one blind wiring machine; one chain mortiser; one panel raiser; one variety saw bench; one Dado head; one Poney plainer; one blind slat machine; two cut-off saws; one rip saw (iron table); one blower system; one No. 52 plainer; one No. 952 moulder; one baluster machine; one gang edger; one self feeding rip saw; two small turning lathes; one large turning lathe; one re-saw; one inside moulder; four trucks; one grind stone; one hand forge; one high speed Erie engine; one automatic knife grinder; one emory stand; one extra re-saw blade; sixteen circular saws; one bench vice; one set diagonal planing knives; five sets Shimer heads; one Heine safety boiler; one injector; one feed pump; one lot of water buckets and barrels; shafting; pulleys and belting; two bench clamps; one McCaskey register; one cash register; two standing bookkeeper desks; one typewriter and desk; one vertical file and table; three chairs; three stools; lot of fire extinguishers, and one protectograph.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 12, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, Oct. 11th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 72 degrees; 8 P. M. 70 degrees; maximum 73 degrees; minimum 65 degrees; mean 59 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 1.01; for the month, 1.07.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday, less than two feet.

Storm Warning.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 11.—Hoist northeast storm warning 10 P. M., Wilmington, Morehead City, Washington, Columbia, Edenton, Elizabeth City, Norfolk, Newport News, Fort Monroe. Tropical storm centered apparently near Jupiter moving northeastward. East Florida reports south of Jacksonville missing. Exact course of storm somewhat doubtful and shipping interests advised to use caution.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in west, rain in east portions Tuesday, colder Tuesday; Wednesday fair and colder; brisk to high shifting winds on the coast.

Port Calendar—Oct. 11.

Sun Rises.....6:15 A. M.
Sun Sets.....5:42 P. M.
Day's Length.....11 hrs. 14 min.
High water at Southport 7:05 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:05 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Crystal Palace—Vaudeville.
W. B. Cooper—Royal Flour.
J. O. Brown—You Can't Contradict.
Edward F. Grossman & Co.—Architects.
St. John's Lodge, A. F. & A. M.—Regular Communication.

Business Locals.

Palace Market—Fresh Pig Pork.
C. H. Bornemann—Saleslady Wanted.
W. B. McClellan—Auction Postponed.
119 Orange Street — Room and Board.

GAYNOR CHALLENGES HEARST.

Asks Editor to Meet Him in Joint Debate—Municipal Campaign.

New York, Oct. 11.—Two candidates for Mayor of Greater New York who have been engaged in bitter denunciation of each other during the past two days, William R. Hearst and William J. Gaynor, appeared before the people tonight for their first addresses of the campaign. Hearst spoke at Carnegie Hall and formally accepted the nomination of the Independents, known as the Civic Alliance, Gaynor appeared at the Academy of Music in Brooklyn as the regular Democratic nominee.

In his formal address Hearst refrained from attacking his rival but Justice Gaynor in his speech aroused by what he declared to be Hearst's breach of faith in repudiating him, challenged the editor to meet him in joint debate on the issues of the campaign.

"I want fair play above all in this contest," said Judge Gaynor. "The open enemy I honor but I despise the enemy that sits back as an editor or otherwise, pretending to be your friend when he is only smiling while he buries his dagger in your ribs. The yellow comes out of a man if it is in him. So I say, yet us have it out in the open, Mr. Hearst."

SOUTH CAROLINA MILLS.

Join Curtailment Agreement of the National Association.

Greenville, S. C., Oct. 11.—Resolutions were adopted here today by the executive committee of the South Carolina Cotton Manufacturers' Association endorsing the action taken at Charlotte last week by the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, pledging curtailment in production. Committees were named to communicate with all mills in the State in regard to carrying out the curtailment agreement. Resolutions objecting to the extra amount of bagging placed on bales over the limited tare of 20 pounds was adopted. The organization of a Southern mill mutual insurance company was discussed and cotton buyers were urged in a resolution adopted to discontinue buying cotton at gins.

CRANE ABRUPTLY RETURNS

Minister to China Given Our Confidential Information.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Tomorrow probably will see the determination of the question whether Charles R. Crane will be requested to resign his recently acquired office of minister of the United States to China or will be permitted to resume in that capacity his journey to Pekin, whither he was almost in the act of sailing from San Francisco when peremtorily summoned by Secretary of State Knox to return forthwith to Washington and explain his alleged responsibility for the disclosure in a newspaper dispatch of supposedly confidential information about the attitude of the United States toward the new treaties between China and Japan.

SCHOONER GOES DOWN.

Mysterious Accident May Have Ended in Death of Crew.

Beaufort, N. C., Oct. 11.—Efforts today to learn the identity of the unknown schooner which yesterday morning was discovered sunken in 14 fathoms of water off the Diamond Shoals lightship have been without success. The mystery of the manner in which the vessel went to the bottom and what became of the men who manned the ship has not been solved.

It is believed here that the men abandoned the ship after it had sprung a leak and went southward in the small boats and were picked up by some steamer.

DIED.

TIETGEN—At the James Walker Memorial Hospital, in this city, Monday, October 11th, 1909, MISS MARY M. G. TIETGEN, daughter of Chas. Tietgen, 34 years of age.

Funeral this (Tuesday) morning at 10 o'clock from residence of Mrs. Lietgen, on Second street; interment in Bellevue cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

PIRATES WON FIERCE CONTEST

(Continued from First Page.)

second. He then scored on a wild pitch. In the second he reached first on a fielder's choice and on a double steal went to third while Leach was stealing home. In the fifth he singled just out of Tom Jones' reach and stole second. Wagner singled to left in the seventh but was caught trying to steal second, Schmidt to Bush. In the ninth he again singled and stole second, while Leach was on third waiting to score.

Bush and Delhanty were the bright spots on the Detroit team in batting, while Cobb and Crawford made great catches during the course of the game. Bush made four hits in five times at bat and two of them played important parts in the scoring. Delhanty was there with two 2-baggers and a single in five times at bat. His third hit—a double in the seventh—started the rally that caused many apprehensive chills among the Pittsburg players. Cobb made a two-bagger and a single that were important factors in the Detroit rally. His single in the seventh scored one run and his double in the ninth sent in two more.

Pittsburg	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Byrne, 3b	5	1	2	2	2	0
Leach, cf	4	3	2	1	0	0
Clarke, lf	4	1	0	5	0	0
Wagner, ss	5	1	4	3	4	0
Miller, 2b	4	1	0	3	5	1
Abstein, 1b	4	1	2	8	0	1
Wilson, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Gibson, c	4	0	0	5	1	0
Maddox, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	38	8	11	27	13	2

Detroit	AB	R	H	O	A	E
D. Jones, lf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Bush, ss	5	1	4	4	3	1
Cobb, rf	5	0	2	3	0	0
Crawford, cf	5	0	0	5	0	1
Delhanty, 2b	5	1	3	3	0	0
Moriarty, 3b	3	1	0	0	3	0
T. Jones, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Schmidt, c	4	0	0	3	2	1
Summers, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Willett, p	2	0	0	2	3	0
*McIntyre	1	0	0	0	0	0
Works, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
**Mullin	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	6	12	27	13	3

*Batted for Willett in seventh.
**Batted for Works in ninth.

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Two-base hits, Delhanty 2, Cobb Abstein, Leach; hits off Summers 4 in 1-3 inning; off Willett 3 in 6 2-3 innings, off Works 4 in 2 innings; stolen bases, Wagner 4, Leach; left on bases Detroit 8, Pittsburg 6; first base on ball, by Summers 1, by Maddox 2; hit by pitcher, by Willett (Leach and Clarke) struck out, by Works 3, by Maddox 2; wild pitch, Summers; time 2:05; umpires, O'Loughlin and Johnstone.

Bad Weather Prevents Game.

Boston, Oct. 11.—The post season baseball game between the Boston Americans and New York Nationals scheduled for today was postponed on account of wet grounds.

McCUE INSURANCE SUIT.

Question Whether the Policy Holds Good Before Supreme Court.

Washington, Oct. 11.—The question whether the ordinary insurance policy insures a man against death by legal hanging is raised in the case of the Mutual Life Insurance Company vs. J. William McCue and others which was presented today to the Supreme Court of the United States.

McCue is one of the children of the late J. Samuel McCue, who while serving a term as mayor of the city of Charlottesvile, Va., was found guilty of murdering his wife and hanged for the offense in 1905. About a year previous to the crime McCue took out an insurance policy of $15,000 in the Mutual Life. The company refused to pay the policy on the ground "that the death of the man insured by hanging under sentence of a court of justice anulled the contract of insurance."

ENGINEER INSTANTLY KILLED.

Full 2,300 Volts of an Arc Machine Passed Through Body.

Newbern, Oct. 10.—Fred Thomas, assistant engineer at the city electric light plant, was instantly killed last night by coming in contact with some part of the arc light machine, carrying a voltage of 2,300. He was alone in the generator room working on the arc machine which had been giving some trouble. The fireman heard his cry and going into the room found his lifeless body near the arc machine. Just how he met his death will never be known. There is a burn across his cheek, otherwise the body is unhurt. He was about 31 years old, and unmarried. The body was taken to Simpson's undertaking establishment and later to the home of his mother.

DIAZ COMING TO EL PASO.

Will Meet President Taft After a Visit to Chohuahua.

Mexico City, Oct. 11.—President Diaz left this evening on the Presidential train for Chohuahua where he will be entertained for two days. Thence he will go to El Paso tomeet President Taft. A salute of 21 guns was fired as the train pulled out.

REVOLUTION IN SAN DOMINGO.

Insurgents, Headed by Gen. Navarro, Made Attack on Town.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Oct. 11.—A revolution has broken out in Santo Domingo. The insurgents, headed by Gen. Andre Navarro, this morning attacked Dajabon, a town near the Haitien frontier, but were repulsed by the government troops.

Money Comes in Bunches

to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now. His reason is well worth reading. "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness, and general debility," he writes. "I couldn't sleep, had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. It's a wonderful medicine." Infallible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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Editor Star, City:

Dear Sir: In common with the many young friends and patrons of your paper, I am most agreeably impressed with the excellent material improvements in the Star, recently accomplished by its present owners and efficient management. Especially, the last two Sunday editions of the paper have the appearance of many of the larger metropolitan dailies, and from an editorial standpoint, and as a chronicler of news matter, as well as in extent of news space and neatness of appearance, the Star is easily one of the very best newspapers in North Carolina. Born of, and guided for nearly half a century by one of the staunchest Democrats and truest sons of our State, and later directed and managed by one of the most capable and broad-minded newspaper men to be met with anywhere, the past good which the paper has accomplished, as well as its recent improvement, can be easily explained and accounted for by the most unobservant citizen of the community. Whatever material advancement the present owners may care to make, however, the character and principles evinced by the Star in the past upon public questions, whether they be political, social, economic, or otherwise, have never been in need of, or within the scope of improvement, no one can expect or desire a change or apparent improvement along those lines. Like individuals, a newspaper's real worth to the community may be measured by its character, and by the principles for which it stands, and the paper which lacks individuality, drifting aimlessly with the current of temporary public sentiment, always in search of the keynote that way gain for it momentary public applause, is not only worthless for want of real character, but is a menace to the progress and proper formation of the public mind. The Star has been always in the vanguard of those who have at heart the progress of our city; it has been a leader of advanced thought and largely instrumental in framing the public mind upon all important topics that have come up for solution from time to time. One can easily forsee the great accomplishments, which certainly awaits the paper's future, provided the proper public support, which it so richly deserves, is accorded it, and with the further proviso that its future destiny remain in the very capable hands which now direct its progress and active management.

Yours truly,
W. F. JONES.

Dick Brothers' Cotton Letter.

New York, Oct. 11.—After some scattered liquidation around the opening, the cotton market turned steady on a good class of buying based on unfavorable weather news. The tropical disturbance which had been lost somewhere in the Carribbean sea showed up again today west of Cuba coming towards the Florida coast and was preceded by some very heavy rains in the Key West section. Shorts became nervous and bid up rapidly with the assistance of the bulls who made them pay as much as possible for their cotton. Spot markets were generally steady with prices unchanged to one-eighth higher on a fair volume of business.

Less was heard of curtailment talk and it looks as if it would take more than resolutions on the part of spinners to scare the bulls into liquidating their holdings. The fact that tomorrow is a holiday in the New York markets was largely responsible no doubt for some of the covering as the shorts did not care to face the possibility of unfavorable weather develcpments over Tuesday.

Recent sellers have been the largest buyers today. Exports were again very heavy, and about 70,000 bales have been reported up to the middle of the afternoon.

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LOST—Black leather card case with name of owner on card inside. Finder please return to Star office.

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LAND AUCTION SALE postponed on account of rain, but will sell, rain or shine, 10 o'clock Monday, October 18th, 1909. Shelter will be provided for crowds in case of rain. W. B. McClellan. oc 11-1w

SALESLADY WANTED to work in dry goods department; one with experience preferred. 'Phone 853. C. H. Bornemann's Department store, Seventh and Orange streets. oc 12-1t*

WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping; downstairs preferred. Address S. P. R., 419 Chesnut street. oc 10 1t*

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BOARD—Regular and transient; Mrs. Allison Alderman, northeast corner Third and Market streets, recently removed from No. 7 South Fourth street. Several nice rooms especially suited for gentlemen. oc 10 3t

AGENTS—Wanted, male or female, to sell our beautiful floral mottoes, size 12x16; quick sales, large profits; express paid. Write for terms. Frank A. Shilling Co., Navarre, Ohio. oc 10 2t*

FOR RENT—Two or three rooms for light housekeeping, couple without children preferred. Apply at 118 South Sixth street. 0c 10-3t*

WANTED—Position as stenographer by young lady. Four years experience. Best references, can give lessons in shorthand. Address Box 493, City. oc 10 3t*

FOR RENT—A pretty four-room cottage, with acre of ground, artesian water, one mile from city on Castle Hayne road. P. Q. Moore. oc 10 3t

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